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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

Negotiations with Turkey are progressing with indications that a compromise will be arranged. —— France has notified Mr. Kruger that she will not take the initiative in intervention in South Africa. —— U. S. auxiliary cruiser Yosemite sunk in a typhoon at Guam, and five of the crew were lost. —— Rear Admiral F. G. McNair died in Washington, D. C. —— Foreign ministers in Pekin have agreed upon an ultimatum to the Chinese government demanding decapitation of princes and other high officials; Japan has taken the initiative in an appeal for moderation. ——Reports as to the condition of the Czar continue satisfactory. —— Eight thousand troops will be sent to South Africa; hard fighting at points wide apart show that the war is not over. —— A Buddist nun has arrived at San Francisco to speak throughout this country in behalf of her faith. —— Masked men robbed the bank at Emden, Ill., of all its funds. —— Interstate Commerce Commission dismissed petition of the Southern Railway Co. for a re hearing in the case of the city of Danville against the railway company. —— The State constabulary idea for New York city has been abandoned. —— Florida's quarantine willterminate November 30th. —— N. Y. markets: Money on call steady at 3½@3½ per cent., last loan at 3½ per cent.; cotton quiet, middling uplands 10½c; flour was very steady, with business checked by the holiday and irregularity of wheat; wheat—spot easy; No. 2 red 77⅝c; corn—spot weak; No. 2, 47c; oats—spot steady; No. 2, 26½c; rosin quiet; spirits turpentine quiet.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE,
WEATHER BUREAU,
WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 28.

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 39 degrees; 8 P. M., 51 degrees; maximum, 61 degrees; minimum, 38 degrees; mean, 50 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .0; rainfall since 1st of the month up to date, 3.66 inches.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—For North Carolina generally fair Thursday and Friday; probably warmer Thursday on northern coast; winds mostly fresh so ⊗ ently.

Port Almanac---November 29.

Sun Rises	6.50 A. M.
Sun Sets	4.46 P. M.
Day's Length	9 H. 56 M.
High Water at Southport	12 39 A. M.
High Water Wilmington	3.09 A. M.

There are lots of people who have wheels in their heads, but there is a man in one of the New York hospitals who imagines he is a bicycle.

A seat in the New York Stock Exchange recently sold for $47,500. Seats in the United States Senate sometimes sell for three or four times that.

Dick Croker says his success in life is due to the fact that he never forgets those who stand by him. And he never forgets those who collide with him ,either.

Miss Helen Gould says wealth is a great responsibility. It is Helen; it is. But there are few of us who do not feel equal to it or would shirk the responsibility.

Some Ohio Republicans who do not believe that Hanna is the whole thing, are boosting Senator Fairbanks for President in 1904. At last accounts Hanna had not invited any of them to share his Thanksgiving dinner.

Some Chicago business men are about to start a bank where workmen can borrow small sums of money at low interest. This is to protect them from money sharks. A good idea, and one that might be taken up by other cities.

Kruger shocked a Paris hotel chef by refusing to eat anything but eggs and bread and milk. Oom Paul always likes to know what he is eating and wisely concluded not to surprise his stomach with an assortment of French mysteries.

If you imagine that you haven't anything to be thankful for to-day, be thankful that you haven't anything more to scold yourself for. Mark Hanna says he is thankful that he is alive, which is a proof of a very forbearing Providence.

The Ohio man who wagered a watch against a girl's hand and lost, now wants his watch back without the hand. The girl holds the watch and he is suing to get it back. A man who would be mean enough to do that would bear watching in a junk shop.

It is said that Boni Castellane, Anna Gould's French husband, is not a real Castellane. The Gould family may be thankful for that, for if an imitation could have gotten away with them so, how might they have fared if they had struck the real thing?

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mrs. James F. Post left last night for Baltimore.

— Miss Stella Divine returned yesterday from Baltimore.

— Mr. James Elder is able to be out again, after a protracted illness.

— Miss Jane Meares left last evening to visit friends in Augusta.

— Mr. W. G. Herring went to Clinton yesterday to spend Thanksgiving.

— Ed. S. Battle, Esq., left yesterday to spend Thanksgiving at Raleigh.

— Mr. Sam R. Vick and Mr. James F. Post, Jr., left last night for New York.

— Misses Della Clark, Anna Parsley and Laura Clark left yesterday for Washington, D. C.

— Mr. Reid French, an old Wilmington boy, now of Winston, N. C., is here to spend Thanksgiving.

— Miss Lilla Bellamy left last evening for New York, to visit her brother, Dr. Russell Bellamy.

— Sergeant Barnes, of Fort Caswell, passed through the city yesterday en route to Ship Island on the Mississippi river, where he has been ordered upon his promotion to ordnance sergeant.

— Mr. R. S. Moore, of Grit, Pender county, was a visitor to the city yesterday on a business trip. He reports good rains up Black river and a good prospect of resuming steamboat shipping along this route.

— The northbound train last night carried many Thanksgiving visitors to Washington. In the party were Messrs. Bellamy Harriss, George W. Brunson, Jr., Percy Smith, Mark W. Thomas, J. L. Davis, L. W. Rivinbark, J. B. Ward and P. L. Smith.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

W. B. Cooper—Salt.
Opera House—"The Clipper."
New Savings Bank—Don't forget.
VonGlahn & Gibson—Your hands.
Str. Wilmington—Carolina Beach.

LOCAL DOTS.

— Dr. George C. Worth will lead the men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A., for the five Sundays in December.

— The steamer *E. A. Hawes*, did not get in port from up the Cape Fear yesterday but was expected down last night.

— Cotton declined on the local market yesterday, closing at 9½ cents for middling. Receipts were 1,162 bales

— The British steamship *Buckminster*, hence for Bremen arrived yesterday via Queenstown, whither she went for orders.

— Friends in Wilmington of Hon. F. M. Simmons will regret to learn that he is yet quite sick and is confined to his home at Raleigh.

— Practices are progressing nicely for the Doll's Bazaar to be given by the ladies of Grace M. E. Church on Dec. 11th, 12th and 13th, at the City Hall. The heads of the various departments are working hard and the event augurs a brilliant success.

Mr. Rountree, A Judge.

George Rountree, Esq., of this city, has been chosen with Messrs. Jas. H. Pou and F. H. Busbee, of Raleigh, a committee to decide upon the intercollegiate debate to-night between Trinity and Wake Forest, which will take place in the Academy of Music at Raleigh. The judges were suggested by Trinity and accepted by Wake Forest in accordance with the custom established by the two institutions. The query for debate is, "Resolved That the South Carolina Dispensary Law is unwise," Trinity having the affirmative and Wake Forest the negative.

This is the third debate since the offering of the cup, and as the institutions have won one contest each, the result of this debate is awaited with peculiar interest. Mr. Perrin Busbee will present the cup after the debate.

Escaped Prisoner Captured.

Tom Robinson, one of the negroes who escaped from jail with several of his companions on the night of October 3rd, was captured yesterday and returned to prison. This leaves only one of the number which escaped still at large. His name is James Walker and he is charged with larceny. The negro captured yesterday is also charged with larceny and he was picked up by a guard at the convict camp at Castle Haynes yesterday. The captor gave the prisoner over to Jailor Millis' keeping as Mr. Millis was returning on the train from Raleigh last night.

Identified Prisoner.

Mr. G. B. Kittrell, of Fort Mott, S. C., arrived yesterday and took back with him to the Orangeburg jail, Joe Rivers, colored, who confessed to having stolen cotton and cotton seed, an account of which has already appeared in these columns. The negro accompanied Mr. Kittrell willingly and confessed to the charge. There was a reward of $35 for the prisoner and he was captured by Chief Parmele.

For the meeting of the Grand Lodge of Colored Masons at Asheville, N. C., December 11th, the Atlantic Coast Line will sell round trip tickets over its line in North Carolina at reduced rates. Tickets sold December 10th to 13th, inclusive, with final limit to December 20th. Rate to Asheville and return from Wilmington will be $14.85.

Photograph Gallery will be open Thanksgiving, U. C. Ellis. †

THANKSGIVING DAY.

Will Be Observed in Wilmington This Year With the Usual Celebration.

SERVICES IN THE CHURCHES.

Many Hunters Will Seek the Fields; Others Will Devote Holiday to Athletics and Some Will "Take a Day Off" for Rest.

The Thanksgiving holiday in Wilmington will be observed as usual today. Whether it will partake of those Puritanic simplicities and be attended by those devotional features which the name implies and which marked its observance by its founders, our Pilgrim forefathers, who gathered once a year to render devout thanks to the Creator for their deliverance from the the menace of fierce aborigines, it will be celebrated just the same and it will be observed by each inhabitant in that particular way which he may elect.

Many of the stores and business houses of the city will be closed during the day and with the greater portion of the population, perhaps, the day will be given over to pleasure and recreation. The Produce Exchange and Custom House, Court House offices, City Hall offices and the various public buildings in the city will remain closed during the day and the postoffice people will observe Sunday hours.

Several excursions are announced, notably those to Carolina and Wrightsville beaches, the cruise by the Naval Reserves and their friends on the *Hornet* and the excursion up Northeast river on the little launch *Morning Star*.

The trip to Carolina Beach will, of course, be taken on the steamer *Wilmington*, leaving the city at 9.45 o'clock this morning and returning at 5 o'clock this afternoon. The trip on the steamer may be continued down the river by all those who desire to go to either Southport or Fort Caswell. The train will connect at Harper's pier with the boat and the round trip to the beach will be only 25 cents, while that to Southport and the Fort will be only 50 cents.

The special train on the Wilmington Seacoast railroad for Wrightsville beach will leave at 10 o'clock this morning and returning leave the beach at 11 A. M. Those who desire may remain at the sound or beach all day and return on the regular train which leaves the beach at 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

Only a limited number can be accommodated on the launch *Morning Star* by Capt. George Warren who will leave at 6 o'clock this morning for the trip up the Northeast river. The trip will be a delightful one.

The *Hornet* with the jolly tars and their friends on board will leave the wharf of the Wilmington Street Railway Company at 9.30 o'clock this morning. Lieutenant Skelding will be in command and nearly every member of the Wilmington Division will "take in" the trip. The sailors expect to get back to the city some time to-night.

Another military feature of the day's observance will be the target practice across the river by Col. Walker Taylor's Boys' Brigade. Members are ordered to assemble at Market street dock this morning at 11 o'clock to go over on the ferry boat.

In all the churches there will be special services and attending these will be the chief feature of the day with many people.

The service in the First Presbyterian Church will be by Rev. John W. Paxton at 11 o'clock A. M. There will be no prayer meeting service at night.

At the First Baptist Church the services will be at 7.30 P. M., when Dr. Blackwell, the pastor, will preach a special sermon on "Thanksgiving." An offering will be taken for the aged ministers' fund.

There will likely be no service at Grace M. E. church as Rev. J. N. Cole has not yet returned from Oxford. The afternoon meeting of the ladies appointed for this afternoon at the parsonage in observance of the week of prayer will also not be held. Rev. R. F. Bumpass, presiding elder of the district, will leave for Sampson county this morning to conduct Thanksgiving services. For this reason he could not fill Rev. Mr. Cole's pulpit.

There will also be no services in St. Paul's Lutheran church in the absence of the pastor, Rev. A. G. Voigt, who is at Staunton, Va. Services will, however, be held at St. Matthew's English Lutheran church at 11 A. M., by the pastor, Rev. G. D. Bernheim. All persons are invited and are welcome.

The services at St Andrew's Presbyterian church will be at 11 A. M., and will be by the pastor, Rev. A. D. McClure. A collection will be taken for the Barium Springs Orphans Home. After the service Rev. Mr. McClure will leave for New Hope Presbyterian church in Brunswick county, where he will preach a Thanksgiving sermon to-night. He will also preach a communion sermon on Friday night.

At Fifth Street M. E. church there will be services at night at 8 P. M., when a collection for the Methodist Orphanage at Raleigh will be taken.

Rev. R. H. Herring will conduct the services at Southside church which will be at 11 A. M. A collection will be taken for the Thomasville Orphanage.

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ABSORBING TOPIC IS FOOT BALL GAME.

Wilmington Has a Strong Team Which She Will Pit Against Wilson This Afternoon at Hilton Park.

The Thanksgiving event which will claim the attention of the largest number of Wilmingtonians to-day is the game of foot ball this afternoon at 3 o'clock at Hilton Park, between the teams of Wilmington and Wilson. The visiting aggregation of pigskin pushers, headed by the incorrigible John Moore, "a foot ball magnate of the east," and about sixty rooters, will arrive at 9.30 o'clock this morning and will entertain the Wilmington eleven for an hour and a half or more.

The general admission to the game will be 25 cents, and for the benefit of the public, cars will be run to the park before, after and during the game. The Wilmington colors are orange and black, and these are expected to be in evidence on the grounds this afternoon.

The defeat which the Wilson team admistered to Wilmington at the last game in Wilson is still fresh in the minds of the Wilmington boys, and they go in the game this afternoon to win back the laurels which Wilson took from them. The Wilson team is equally determined to make this the best two out of three games for them.

Many of the old players, who played in the Horner and Fayettaville games last season will be in the line up today, and the other members of the team are all old players and know the game thoroughly.

Holland, who has played center rush for the team in several of its hardest fought games, will again hold that position. He is a powerful man, and can be relied upon to stand his ground. Watson and Savage need no introduction as foot ball players, having for years been in all the important games in which Wilmington has contended. Their weight is about 180 pounds each. Wanamaker will again appear at his old position, left end, and will play a star game, as will McMillan, who "holds down" the other end. Both men are quick, steady and are veteran foot ball players. Their weight is 170 and 158 respectively. Ramsey and Carr will be in the line as tackles, and are both men very strong and of good weight. Johnston will be found at right guard. He is a powerful man and an all around athlete—weight 185 pounds. For quarterbacks, there are three applicants—Wiggs, Turrentine and H. McMillan. All are experienced players and can be safely relied upon. Sinclair, Morton and Hopkins will play half backs. All are quick and strong and will give good support to the team. Grimsley, an old Wilmington boy, who has been playing on the A. and M. College team, will play full back. He has quite a reputation as a kicker. Burch, Jordan, Green and Montgomery, all good men, are substitutes and will do good work if their services are needed.

The line-up will probably be as follows:

WILMINGTON.		WILSON.
Holland	c.	Drew
Savage	r. g.	Wilcox
Johnston	l. g.	Killett
Watson	r. t.	Clark
Ramsey	l. t.	Wilkins, W.
McMillan	r. e.	Wilkins, R.
Wanamaker	l. e.	Forbes
Wiggs	q. b.	Martin
Hopkins	r. b.	Moore
Morton	l. b.	Harris
Grimsley	f. b.	Wilkins

As before stated, the game will be called promptly at 3 o'clock.

HOME BREWING COMPANY.

It Will Build Handsome Quarters for Its Wilmington Business—Secretary Guvernator in the City.

Mr. G. E. Guvernator, secretary of the Home Brewing Company, Richmond, Va., is in the city for a few days the guest of Mr. Jno. M. Wright, the enterprising manager of the company's business in this territory.

The prime object of Mr. Guvernator's visit to Wilmington is to look over the field here and cast about for a suitable location for a new building which the company will erect for its Wilmington branch, its present quarters being too small for the large and increasing trade of the concern.

It has been definitely decided to erect the new building and plans are now being received for the work. The contract will be let very soon and the building will commence about January 1st. A site for the new building is being sought and Mr. Guvernator says it is impossible yet to make an announcement of the size of the building until the location is selected.

The Home Company is rapidly forging to the front and already has in successful operation twenty-two branch houses outside of Richmond.

Unknown Passenger on Train.

Capt. W. H. Pemberton who came in on the A. and Y. train Tuesday night had a strange find as he was leaving the second class coach. Every passenger had gotten off the train and he discovered a covered basket of usual size left on one of the seats. Upon closer examination he found several sentences written in different places on the cover. In the middle was "Governor Russell," on one cover were the instructions, "Open carefully and don't let him get away;" on the on the opposite end was written, "His name is McKinley," and in another place was, "He is a good Republican." Capt. Pemberton hesitated for a moment and then decided to open it. He found lying in it a beautiful little cat which he turned over to his porter.

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THE SCHOOL CHILDREN OBSERVE THANKSGIVING.

Exercises Yesterday at Several of the Institutions, Notably Hemenway and St. Paul's—All Have Holiday.

Special Thanksgiving exercises were observed at the Hemenway school and at the Lutheran Parochial school yesterday. Many of the patrons and other visitors were present, and the exercises were considered very entertaining and appropriate.

The exercises at Hemenway school lasted from 9 until 10 o'clock. The school authorities were represented by Mr. Jas. F. Post, chairman of the committee; Mr. J. J. Blair, superintendent, and Miss Nettie Cook, supervising principal.

The exercises were given under the supervision of Mrs. M. L. McLeod. Mr. Post and Mr. Blair made seasonable talks, which were much appreciated by the audience.

The programme was exceedingly well rendered and was as follows:

"John's Pumpkin," Geo. McLaurin.
"Why We Keep Thanksgiving Day," Miss May Hall.
"Thanksgiving Day," Miss Mildred Maunder.
Recitation, Miss Mary Thompson and Jerome Waxman.
Thanksgiving exercises by pupils of Fifth and Sixth grades.
"Gov. Bradford," Allen Bowler.
"Elder Brewster," Horace Whitlock.
A play introducing the following characters:
Pilgrims—Richmond Corinth, Chas. Parmele, Harry Solomon, Jas. Wade, Victor Grainger and Chas. Terry.
Indians with their Chiefs—"Massasoit" and "Samoset," Carl Bender and Willie Cronenberg, respectively.
Puritan housewives—Misses Mabel Bowler, Helen Solomon, Janette MacRae, Lillie Post, Mamie Nathan, Duralde Borden, Julia McLaurin, Minnie Beery, and others.

Those present were invited to visit and inspect the various school rooms and they were much pleased with the good order and work being done.

There has been introduced into the Hemenway School recently drawing lessons and quite a number of exhibits in that line of work were presented, showing marked efficiency and considerable merit.

All of the city public schools will be closed to day and will be re opened Friday morning at the usual hour.

The exercises at the Lutheran school were of an elaborate nature a well prepared programme was rendered under the supervision of the principal, Prof. E. O. Counts and his capable assistants in the institution.

THE MABEL PAIGE COMPANY.

Thanksgiving Matinee for This Afternoon and Strong Performance To-night.

Miss Mabel Paige and her clever company again appeared at the Opera House last night and successfully presented the charming rustic drama entitled "The Country Girl." A large audience was present and frequent applause greeted the efforts of the actors. Several very clever specialties were interspersed through the play and all seemed to amuse the audience very much. Miss Paige has a strong supporting company this year and the performances are certainly very creditable, especially for so low an admission price.

The management of the show announces for this afternoon a Thanksgiving matinee and states that the performance will begin at 3 P. M., and that fifteen and twenty cents will be the admission price for seats all over the house. To-night "The Prisoner of Algiers," the strongest bill of the week, playing the entire company and supported by special costumes and scenery, will be presented.

MR. GRADY LOCATED HERE.

He Will Practice Law With Office in the Old Court House.

R. G. Grady, Esq., one of the leading attorneys of the Ponder county bar and one of the most prominent citizens of Burgaw, has removed to Wilmington and will begin the practice of his profession in this city. He has offices in the old Court House in the apartments up-stairs, formerly occupied as headquarters of the Democratic County Executive Committee.

Mr. Grady is a young man of great promise and as chairman of the Democratic Committee of his county in the last campaign led his hosts to victory upon the State ticket for the first time since the war, giving it a majority of over 1,000.

Mr. Grady will not altogether abandon his practice at Burgaw but will spend the first Monday in each month at his old home and will devote more time to his business there when necessary.

Shipping Notes.

The Clyde steamship *Oneida* did not get in from her New York trip until about midnight Tuesday. She was delayed by strong head winds.

The British steamship *Oaklands*, Capt. Granger, which has already made one visit to this port this season, came in again yesterday. She is laden with 1,000 tons of salt consigned to Mr. R. N. Sweet by Nichols Ashton & Son, of Liverpool. She will begin discharging to-day. With the two fruit vessels unloading and the steamer *Gladys* also unloading, custom house officials will have all they will wan to do for several days.

Elk's Memorial Service.

All arrangements are now about complete for the very pretty memorial service whibh will be observed by the Wilmington lodge of Elks in the Opera House Sunday. The musical programme will be a feature and a large crowd is expected to be in attendance upon the exercises.

A HOME WEDDING

Miss Maie O'Connor and Mr. E. K. Bryan Plighted Their Troth

AT THE ALTAR OF HYMEN.

The Marriage Was One of the Prettiest That Has Occurred in Wilmington This Season—Witnessed by a Large Number of Friends.

Added to the list of beautiful weddings that have been celebrated in Wilmington this season is that of Miss Maie Isabelle O'Connor to Mr. Egbert Kedar Bryan, which took place at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the residence of the bride's parents, Major and Mrs D. O'Connor, No. 110 Princess street. All that is combined in elegance and artistic taste was evident in the appointments of the wedding, the decorations being unusually effective in pink and blue. Wild smilax in sprays, festoons and garlands formed the background of green used in all parts of the house to bring out in snowy whiteness the chrysanthemums, pink carnations and roses, forming the floral adornment. An aisle was formed of blue ribbons and pink carnations from the front of the house to the drawing room and the bridal party passed through it, the bride and groom standing under a canopy of smilax, beneath which was suspended a wedding bell of carnations.

At the appointed hour the double chorus, composed of Mrs. W. L. Latta, Mrs. Joseph H. Watters, sopranos; Mrs. E. G. Woody, Mrs. Burkholder, contraltos; Messrs. C. H. Cooper, Robt. C. Banks, tenors; A. S. and Herbert Holden, bassos, with Mr. Alfred Yopp, accompanist, sang the chorus from the "Bride Maiden" and then rendered the chorus from Lohengrin, to which the bridal party entered. During the ceremony the attendants, forming a double half circle about the bride and groom, presented a beautiful picture. They were: Miss Burriedell Gower, of Washington, D. C., maid of honor; Miss Alice Reilly, first bridesmaid; Misses Anabel Brazelton, of Tennessee; Nessie Cotchett, Ida Brown and Tallulah DeRosset.

Mr. Will Bryan, the groom's brother, was best man, and the groomsmen were: Messrs. Henry G. MacFarlane, Jas. Reilly, Chas. C. Chadbourn, Frank Stedman, T. Morgan Turrentine, and Dr. J. S. Spicer, of Goldsboro.

The beautiful ceremony was performed by Rev. Father C. Dennen, and the bride's father, Maj. D. O'Connor, gave her away.

The bride's dress was of white *crepe de chene* over taffeta and trimmed with *duchesse* lace. The bridal veil was adjusted with orange blossoms and a cluster pin of diamonds, a gift of the groom. The flowers were, appropriately, lilies of the valley and bride's roses.

Miss Gower, the maid of honor, wore a becoming gown in *applique* over light blue taffeta. She carried a bouquet of pink *La France* roses.

The first two bridesmaids wore effective toilets of blue organdie over blue taffeta, with pink trimmings, and the second two were as appropriately gowned in pink organdie over pink taffeta with trimmings of blue. Their bouquets were of pink and blue carnations, respectively. The hair ornaments were blue ribbons and rhinestones. The groomsmen were in conventional evening dress.

The bride's mother, Mrs. D. O'Connor, wore lavendar brocaded trimmed with *duchesse* lace.

After the ceremony an elegant reception was given, at which several hundred guests were entertained. The bride and groom received congratulations in the drawing room. The bridesmaides were assisted in receiving by the following young lady friends of the bride: Misses Edith Bolles, Alice Smallbones, Kate Harlow, Maggie Price, Mary Monk, Lucy Wootten and Mrs. Joe Bunting.

In the dining room where the supper was served, the decorations were of blue and pink. The bride's table had over it a cloth of white damask satin. From the chandelier to the four corners of the table were draped pink ribbons caught in with bunches of carnations. The centerpiece was a chrystal candelabra and had its pink waxen tapers shaded with blue covers. Pink carnations in tall vases added beauty and fragrance to the general effect and the bon-bons were in pink. The guest cards were artistically decorated and in the bride's cake were the usual souvenirs—the ring, the thimble and the bodkin—drawn for by the bride's maids. The bride's presents were exquisite and extravagant.

The bride and groom left on the A. C. L. train at 7 o'clock for the North where they will spend two weeks, after which they will be at home at the Orton.

The bride, Miss O'Connor, is one of Wilmington's most accomplished and charming young women. She is the only daughter of Maj. and Mrs. D. O'Connor. The groom is a very popular young man and one of the leading lawyers at the Wilmington bar.

Among the out-of-town attendants upon the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Horace P. Springer, of Washington, D. C, and Mr. John O'Connor, of Joliet, Ill., a cousin of the bride.

Eat Well.

The Famous Eat Well Delicacies will be served at Johnson Dry Goods Co., Wednesday and Friday. Call and try them, they are delicious. Souvenir to ladies. †

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H. C. McQUEEN, President. JNO. S. ARMSTRONG, Vice President.
nov 29 tf F. W. DICK, Cashier.

New Steamship Line.

Charleston special to Columbia *State:* "The fleet of four steamers of the South Carolina Steamship Company were sold to-day to Mark Moses, of Georgetown, for $17,500. The steamers will be delivered to their new owner in 30 days. Moses intends to organize a stock company in Georgetown to operate a steamboat service between Charleston, Georgetown and Wilmington. The fleet of the Carolina company will be reinforced by other steamers, yet to be purchased. Mr. Moses is certain of the success of the venture. The new line will be operated in the interest and the mutual benefit of the three ports.

The steamers purchased included the *Planter*, which has often visited this port; also the *Merchant, John M. Cole* and *Eutaw*. Mr. Moses, will it is learned, operate these vessels not only from Georgetown and Charleston but also from the landings on the Santee and Pee Dee rivers. He will take possession of them within the next thirty days.

Left on Sad Mission.

Rev. Walter P. Hines, of Portsmouth, Va., who has been conducting the very successful series of revival services at the First Baptist Church during the past ten days, was obliged to leave for Crewe, Va., yesterday morning on account of the serious illness of his brother, Mr. Samuel Hines. He left to the sorrow of his many friends here at 9.45 o'clock yesterday morning.

The series of services will be continued to day and to night despite Mr. Hines' enforced absence, and the services on Sunday will also partake of the nature of revival meetings.

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Upholstering, Repairing and Mattress Making BY EXPERTS.
The Spot Cash Price
is marked in plain figures on all my goods, but to reliable parties I will sell on terms suited to their convenience. nov 24 tf

Opera House
WINSOME
Mabel Paige.
MATINEE TO-DAY AT 3 P. M.,
The Clipper.
Prices, 10 and 20c.
TO-NIGHT
The Romantic Drama,
Prisoner of Algiers.
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The County Commissioners of New Hanover County
INVITE PROPOSALS
For taking care of county prisoners, to include Food, Clothes, Shoes, Medicine and Guards. Also, for taking care County Home and inmates—to include Food, Clothes, Shoes, Medicine and Fuel—with the use of county farm, and without the use of farm.
Bids will be opened 2 30 o'clock P. M., Monday, December 3rd.
Commissioners reserve right to reject any or all bids. D. McEACHERN,
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--Charlotte Russe.
MADE FRESH TO ORDER.
All Kinds of Cakes
for Birthday Parties to order on short notice.
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Now For The Fall Trade.
We are now prepared to fill all orders for goods in our line, wholesale and retail, at prices that will surprise you. Quality, too, is a feature in which we excel.
Agricultural Implements, Fine Cutlery, Tinware, Saddles, Horse Collars, Guns, Pistols, Ammunition of every kind. Stoves, Ranges—
Well, it would require too much space to enumerate the thousand and one Articles that make up one of the most complete stocks ever offered in the South.
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Agent for Packers which guarantee Lowest Prices.
We have on consignment a choice lot of MULLETS. Packages good and Fish better. We solicit orders and inquiries on
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Sole and Exclusive Agents for
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Famous for their Quality and Price.
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Sailed from New York on 8th inst.
Assorted Sizes of Sacks.
Rust Proof Oats for seed.
Very fine quality N. C.
Molasses—Pure, straight goods.
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All sorts of best quality.
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LOW FOR CASH.
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3,600 bags Salt, ALL SIZES.
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2,100 C. C. Nuts.
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And we'll fit them with the GLOVES you ought to have—the very latest styles direct from the leading Glove makers of the world.
Correct in style and color, but extremely low in price.
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On and after this date the sale of
Rice Beer
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Nov. 24, 1900. nov 25 3t

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Go to E. R. Bellamy's and get a bottle of Goose Grease Liniment. It cures croup and coughs like magic, and all pains.
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MOON'S PHASES.

Full Moon	6	6:00 p.m.	New Moon	22	2:17 a.m.
Third Quarter	13	9:37 p.m.	First Quarter	29	0:35 p.m.

The Morning Star

BY WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

THURSDAY MORNING, NOV. 29.

A NEW FIELD OPENED.

Writers on the commercial prospects seem to be pretty well agreed that the three dominating factors in the world will be the United States, Germany and Russia. A writer who recently spent some time in Germany says we must keep our eyes on that country in manufactures for it has made and is still making marvellous progress, employing American machinery and constructing machinery on American models, and thus the German manufacturers are putting themselves into position to compete with American prices. But the other competitor promises to be even more formidable than Germany, because the competition will be felt not only in manufactures but also in products of mine, field, forest and pasture, in which this country has had the lead. Notwithstanding that Russia has a population of 136,000,000, who, it might be supposed, would consume all the foodstuffs produced in the country, there are immense quantities of stuff shipped to Europe. England receives much of her butter and eggs from the region of the Ural mountains. One port on the Baltic shipped last year 71,855,640 eggs and 700 tons of butter, nearly double as much as was exported the year before. The following from the New York *Tribune* gives some idea of the possibilities of the new field:

A current item of news is suggestive of the importance of the new world which is being opened by the construction of the Russian railroad across Siberia and China. It is that an English company has been formed with $5,000,000 capital to develop certain gold fields in the Amoor territory where it has a concession of 370,000 acres. That an English company, of the very nation supposed to be most antagonistic to Russia, should secure such a concession is in itself a striking circumstance. It seems to indicate that Siberia is being opened up to all the world. That so large a gold enterprise is a foot serves also to recall the fact that Siberia is conspicuous among the gold producing lands of the world and promises some day to outrank them all. As yet the mineral resources have only begun to be developed. Yet at the present time Siberia exports more than $25,000,000 of gold yearly and ranks as the fourth gold producing country. As for its wealth in silver, platinum, iron, lead, coal, naphtha, precious stones, etc., it is simply incalculable.

"Greater still are the agricultural possibilities of the land. We must disabuse ourselves of the idea that Siberia is an arctic wilderness. It lies—that vast belt of it which is now being opened to settlement—between the fiftieth and sixtieth parallels; in the latitude, that is to say, of the British Isles and of British Columbia, Manitoba and the bulk of the western part of the Dominion. The trans-Siberian railroad lies scarcely further north than the Canadian Pacific Railway. The country resembles in great part the plains of the Dakotas, Manitoba and the Saskarchewan and Peace River valleys. There is such a strip 350 miles wide and between 2,000 and 3,000 miles long of virgin soil and of genial climate. The possibilities of such a region are simply inexpressible. It is literally a new world, which may before the coming century ends sustain a prosperous population of scores of millions. We know what our transcontinental railroads have done for the Great Plains and for the region once branded as the 'Great American Desert,' and supposed to be as inhospitable to settlement as the worst of Siberia. Well, Siberia is now being provided with such a road, which will be finished two years hence, with its western termini on the North Atlantic, on the Baltic, on the Black Sea and in the heart of Europe, and its eastern on the Yellow Sea and the Sea of Japan.

"The effect of this railroad building is already to be seen. Mr. A. R. Colquhoun, in his interesting and authoritative article in the current *Monthly Review*, tells us that in the seven years 1893 '99 nearly 19,000,000 acres of public land were transformed into farms, of which five-sevenths are now actually occupied. Since 1887 more than 1,000,000 immigrants have settled in Siberia. There were only 61,435 of them in 1893; there were 233,981 in 1899, and this year's number will be still larger. For three months in 1895 the railroad carried 211,000 passengers and 64,080 tons of freight. For three months in 1899 it carried 1,075,000 passengers and 733,618 tons. An increase in four years on a still unfinished road of 410 per cent. in passengers and 1,045 per cent. in goods suggests a wondering inquiry as to what the increase may be in another four years, when the road is completed. Such is the land and such its great highway, of which the eastern gate looks straight toward our own western gates. It is no land of ours, but alien. Yet he must be blind indeed who does not see in the opening of it a circumstance of profound importance to us and one calling for the prompt putting forth of every means of communication and every effort toward close relationship in industry and commerce. The purely Russian telegraph line from the Baltic to the Pacific should be met by a purely American cable from Asia to the United States, and the first through trains on the trans Asian railroad should find trans Pacific steamships awaiting them under the American flag."

The phenomenal progress of what was a practically unexplored and unknown wilderness a few years ago is a matter in which the world is interested, but especially this country. The world must always be interested in the sources of its food supplies, and this country must be interested in a region which not only promises to become its most formidable competitor in furnishing these food supplies, but also in furnishing the cotton and the wool to clothe the world's millions, and also a formidable competitor in some lines of manufacture.

In the 350-mile wide belt, reaching East and West between 2,000 and 3,000 miles, every cereal, grass, vegetable and fruit grown in the Mississippi valley can be grown, and in greater abundance than we can produce them, because it is virgin soil, untaxed by years of culture as most of ours has been, and at less cost, too, because labor is there abundant and proportionately cheap. Every year adds to the facilities for transportation by the completion of more roads to connect the interior with seaports or deep-water river navigation, and while this work may be temporarily retarded by drains on the Government Treasury in consequence of the war in China, it will not be many years before there is a network of railroads permeating that entire section and affording quick and cheap transportation to the nearest seaports. There the Government builds and operates the railroads, and the object being to develop the country, transportation of people and products is done at what seems to be almost a nominal charge.

With the substantial aid the Goverent gives in free transportation to families into this region, supplying them gratis with farming implements and making loans to purchase stock, build houses, &c. with long time and easy payments, it goes without saying that in the course of a few years that country will be thicklysettled by thrifty, industrious people, for the Government takes care that no drones or others liable to become a burden or a nuisance will get there, and they will not get there unless they escape vigilant eyes at the points of departure.

This is the new field that the American grain grower, cotton grower and stock grower are interested in and not without reason.

WHERE IS THE NEED OF IT?

Several days ago we reproduced from the Philadelphia *Press*, a protective tariff organ, an editorial on the remarkable progress this country has made in exports of iron and steel manufactures, assuming which to be true, and without disputing the claims put forward for protection as the dominating agency in all this, we made the inquiry, where then is the necessity of perpetuating this high protection when it has been so clearly demonstrated that our manufacturers can get along without it and successfully compete with their foreign rivals? As a further illustration on the same line we reproduce the following press dispatch from Chicago:

"W. J. Chalmers, of Frazer & Chalmers, after nearly a month spent in examining the shops of France, Germany and England, has returned, convinced that the United States is in a position to control the foreign markets for iron and steel and their products. What connection, if any, his two recent European visits have upon the future plans of the concern which he represents, he refused to say. Speaking with regard to conditions here and in Europe relative to the iron and steel trade, he said:

"There is no longer any doubt that the United States is now getting the bulk of the iron and steel trade, and I am convinced that this will be the case for many years to come. There is no country to day which can successfully compete with us in this line, and the conditions in Europe are not such as seriously to menace our supremacy. In Germany there are many shops being built, and they are splendidly equipped. Nine-tenths of the tools, however, which are being used in the shops in that country are of American manufacture.

"Our greatest competitor for the foreign trade will be Germany, which is rapidly preparing to become a dangerous bidder for the trade. I do not care at this time to enter into a comparative statement of the merits of the shops in this and foreign countries and it is sufficient to say that we are competing successfully in all the markets of the world. The reason for this is to be found in better equipment and that in times of depression the iron men have built and planned for the harvest of the future."

This tells its own story, and assuming that Mr. Chalmers knows what he is talking about and is a truthful man we again ask, where is the need of perpetuating this high tariff protection the only result of which is to enable its beneficiaries to charge extortionate rates to home purchasers while selling at reasonable rates to foreigners?

An Ohio judge who believes in retrenchment recently cut down the fees allowed by a lower court to the receiver of a railroad from $55,000, $10,000 and $1,000 to $6,000, $1,900 and $50. When the lawyer interested in this heard it he indulged in some cutting remarks.

No Right to Ugliness.

The woman who is lovely in face, form and temper will always have friends, but one who would be attractive must keep her health. If she is weak, sickly and all run down, she will be nervous and irritable. If she has constipation or kidney trouble, her impure blood will cause pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. Electric Bitters is the best medicine in the world to regulate the stomach, liver and kidneys and to purify the blood. It gives strong nerves, bright eyes, smooth, velvety skin and rich complexion. It will make a good-looking, charming woman of a run-down invalid. Only 50 cents a bottle at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store. †

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THE WHIP AS A DISCIPLINARIAN.

There is in Fayetteville a silk mill which is run altogether by negro operatives, the first successful experiment so far in the South in running a mill with negro employes. There are about three hundred negroes employed in this establishment. A short while ago a correspondent of the Atlanta *Journal* had an interview with the superintendent of this mill, and being desirous of learning the secret of his success in making good, reliable workers out of the negroes, in which other attempts had failed, he learned that the whip was brought into requisition in that establishment as a disciplinarian and that when the operatives didn't come to time they were not scolded or docked but soundly thrashed. When this interview was published some of the Northern papers which don't like the way things are done in the South, assuming that this Fayetteville mill was owned and operated by Southern men, proceeded to score those Southern men for this "brutal" method of training, but it so happens that this mill is owned and operated by New Jersey men and that the superintendent who had introduced and applies the whip as a disciplinarian is himself a negro.

These mill men take the precaution to have the operatives bound to them by law, with the consent of their parents, with the understanding that they must come to time and will be flogged if they don't. The plan seems to work all right, too, if we may judge from the following from the *Observer* commenting upon the exaggerated reports about the whipping:

"We might add that only the very best class of negroes are employed in this factory, and that so well pleased are the owners that they are now contemplating the erection here of another mill, and that it is said that, though some three hundred negroes are now employed, there will be no trouble in securing hands for the new factory."

SOME REMARKABLE FIGURES.

The last Presidential election was full of surprises not only as to how States went but in the votes cast. It was predicted in view of the increase in population that there would be a large increase in the popular vote, which the campaign managers kept in view, but this did not materialize as predicted, nor did the vote of the States pan out as anticipated for McKinley lost where he was supposed to be strongest, and Bryan gained where he was supposed to be weakest; which is briefly shown by the following, which we take from the New York *World*:

"The popular vote of the thirteen States, published in the Sunday *World*, embracing as it did the vote of the five great States of Illinois, Missouri, New York, Ohio and Pennsylvania, gave a total of 6,680,489, or nearly one half the probable total vote of the country.

"One surprising showing is that this is an increase of only 122,237 over the vote of the same States in 1896. The average increase of population in ten years was over 21 per cent., while this increase in the popular vote in four years is less than 2 per cent.

"Mr. McKinley's plurality in these States this year was 580,375, a loss from 1896 of 124,235. Mr. McKinley's net loss in the popular vote was 999—a surprisingly close result in a total of above 6,680,000 votes. Mr. Bryan's net gain in votes in the thirteen States was 123,236—which is 1,562 less than his gain in this State."

These figures are interesting only in so far as they show how little confidence is to be placed in ante-election predictions, even by those who profess to be experts and to have unusual facilities for ascertaining the sentiments of individual voters. The fact is the white voter is getting to be about as unreliable as the colored contingent had the reputation of being.

The *Progressive Farmer*, published at Raleigh, did a proper and a wise thing when its management concluded a year ago to eschew politics and give strict attention to agriculture and the farm, to which it is a valuable aid and renders valuable service. Under its present management it is a good and useful paper and should be well patronized by the farmers of this State and section and by others interested in progress on the farm.

The Americans have gone to hanging the natives in Luzon. Is that the American way of "elevating" them?

His Life Was Saved.

Mr. J. E. Lilly, a prominent citizen of Hannibal, Mo., lately had a wonderful deliverance from a frightful death. In telling of it he says: "I was taken with Typhoid Fever that ran into Pneumonia. My lungs became hardened. I was so weak I couldn't sit up in bed. Nothing helped me. I expected to soon die of Consumption, when I heard of Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle gave great relief. I continued to use it, and now I am well and strong. I can't say too much in its praise." This marvellous medicine is the surest and quickest cure in the world for all Throat and Lung Troubles. Regular sizes 50 cents and $1.00. Trial bottles 10 cents at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store. Every bottle guaranteed. †

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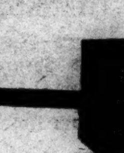
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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Clarkton *Express:* We regret to hear of the assignment of Mr. B. J. Sanderlin. In helping others he involved himself.

— Salisbury *Truth-Index*: W. M. Henderson, colored, one of the refugees from Wilmington, who was accompanied to the depot by a committee of citizens during the revolution there in 1898, is spending a few days in the city, visiting relatives. Henderson is now practicing law in Indianapolis, Ind., and says he is doing well

— Raleigh *News and Observer*: The State Auditor reports that the State's receipts during the eleven months ended October 31st, were $1,432,594, and the disbursements $1,469,811, making the excess of disbursements over receipts $37,217. There was sold during the eleven months $136,000 in four per cent. bonds, and these brought $144,000. The extended expenditures during the year exceed the receipts by something like $200,000 Of this amount the $50,000 was paid to the penitentiary.

— The Durham *Herald:* About 10 o'clock Monday night Miss Nora Lassater of West Durham, attempted suicide by jumping into the reservoir of the Erwin mill company. Three men —Messrs. J. C. Clayton, W. D. Royster, and G. W. Christopher—happened to be passing the reservoir when she attempted to take her life and rescured her just in the nick of time. Insanity, it is said, was the cause of her rash act. She has been subject to fits for a number of years—some five or six—and recently her affliction has been growing. Her mind began to jail some months ago and it is now said that she is almost hopelessly insane.

— Washington *Gazette-Messenger*: Dr. Abbott, of Vandemere, states that Pamlico county will have a railway connection with the outside world. The capital is already secured and the road will run from Vandemere to Newbern, Washington or Vanceboro. As soon a definite route is determined upon the work of consrncting it will begio. —— A friend called at our office this morning and asked us to deny the statement that not a Populist vote was cast in Beaufort county at the recent election, and reminds us that Bobbie Lane, of Aurora, was on deck that day and cast his ballot for Barker and Donnelly.

— Monroe *Journal*: Mrs. Charles Long, of Goose Creek township, died last Friday. She was about seventy years old. —— Mr. J. N. Campbell, of Goose Creek township, died last Saturday, November 24th, at the age of seventy years. —— Mr. Robert Lowry, of Buford township, died November 24th. He was about twenty-three years old and was a son of Mr. Seaborn Lowry. —— Cy Medlin, colored, got an arm almost cut off by getting it caught in the machinery at Shute's gin one day last week. —— A good horse belonging to Mr. C. C. Sikes, while being driven Friday, reared up and fell backward. His head struck the ground, fracturing the skull. He died almost instantly.

TWINKLINGS.

— The significance: Visitor—"Ah! what a picture of innocence that child is!" Mother—"Dear me! I had'nt noticed. Gertrude, what have you been doing?"—*Puck.*

— "He was the most superstitious poker player I ever saw." "Yes, and he got so superstitious here lately that he doesn't play the game any more." "Is that so?" "Yes; he suddenly discovered that there are thirteen cards in each suit."—*Philadelphia Press.*

— A Question of Degree: Mr. Broadway—"Then you are a widow?" Mrs. Gay-Wabash—"Why do you think so?" Mr. Broadway—"You spoke just now of your 'late husband.'" Mrs. Gay-Wabash—"Oh, you are mistaken; I spoke of my latest husband."—*Harlem Life.*

— Regular customer (to waiter) —"As an old customer, I generally have two slices of beef, and to day you have only brought me one." Waiter (with a look of surprise)—"By the powers you are right. The cook must have forgotten to cut it in two." —*Tit Bits.*

"What kind of music," asked tho leader of the mandolin orchestra, "de you think your wife wants?" "Well," said the man who had called, "it is a sewing society of some kind that is to meet at the house. I guess any kind of ragtime music would be appropriate to the occasion."—*Chicago Tribune.*

— "I hope my explanation is satisfactory," said Mr. Younghusband, as he concluded a long narrative as to why he had been delayed down town until 1 A. M. "Well," yawned Mrs. Younghusband, "your excuse is fairly good, but it's not as good as father used to make."—*Boston Courier.*

— "Uncle John," remarked Dick, "is the finest after-dinner speaker I ever knew." "Why," said his friend, with some astonishment, "I never heard he had any ability in that direction at all." "Well, he has. I've dined with him several times at various places, and after dinner he always says: 'That's all right, my boy, I'll pay for it.'"—*Answers.*

— Jeames—"Did you ring, mem?" Madame—"Yes; if Mrs. de Smythe calls ask her to wait." Jeames—"I thought you wasn't coming back till late, mem." Madame—"Of course I'm not; but Mrs. de Symthe can wait till she gets tired. It'll do her good. She wasn't at home me last week, and I'll get even that way."—*Pick-Me Up*

— "That ring," said the advanced woman, indicating the wedding ring, "is a sign of bondage." "True," admitted the young matron. "Yet you wear it?" "Certainly. Why shouldn't I? It isn't necessarily my bondage." "Then whose is it?" "Well, it takes several years of married life to find that out. I'll tell you later."—*Chicago Post.*

— The Language of Flowers—"Do you think these carnations are becoming to me?" she asked. "Oh, yes," he replied, "but there are other flowers which I should rather see you wear." "Pray tell me what they are," she said, always anxious to please, "and I will wear them for you." "Orange blossoms!" he cried. So now it's all settled.—*Philadelphia Evening Bulletin.*

CURRENT COMMENT.

—— The proposed test for the Holland submarine boat of a trip to Cuba and subsequently a transatlantic voyage in the roughest month of the year should, if successful, set at rest the last lingering doubt as to its value and utility. There is no doubt that the Holland boat marks the beginning of a new era in offensive and defensive sea power. The fact was recognized months before naval inspection officials reluctantly conceded it. — *Philadelphia Press, Rep.*

—— Another South Carolina farmer has stumbled into the path of "prosperity." The Lancaster *Ledger* notes: "Mr. R. Z. Welsh has made 406 bushels of grain on 3½ acres of land this year. He first sowed the field down in oats and threshed 300 bushels. He then planted the same field in corn and housed 106 bushels from it last week." One hundred and sixteen bushels of grain per acre, in one season, is not so a bad showing for South Carolina farming in a year of drought. — *Charleston News and Courier, Dem.*

—— With the beginning of the Republican party began the decline of the merchant marine of the United States engaged in international trade. In 1890 this nation stood second in the vast field of maritime traffic. To-day our ocean tonnage is only a little greater than it was a hundred years ago. The thirteen original States have 28 per cent. less tonnage in 1900 than they had in 1800. Having destroyed a great self-built industry by restrictice legislation, the Republican leaders now propose to restore it by turning it over, crippled and pauperized as it is, to be nursed into strength by a system of enforced almsgiving. *Philadelphia Record, Dem.*

WHOLESALE PRICES CURRENT.

The quotations are always given as accurately as possible, but the STAR will not be responsible for any variations from the actual market price of the articles quoted.

Article			
BAGGING—			
2 lb Jute	8	@	8¼
Standard		@	8¾
Burlaps	6	@	6½
WESTERN SMOKED—			
Hams ℔ lb	12	@	14
Sides ℔ lb		@	8¾
Shoulders ℔ lb		@	8⅛
DRY SALTED—			
Sides ℔ lb		@	8½
Shoulders ℔ lb	8	@	8½
BARRELS—Spirits Turpentine—			
Second-hand, each		@	1 45
Second-hand machine		@	1 55
New New York, each		@	1 45
New City, each		@	1 45
BRICKS—			
Wilmington ℔ M	6 75	@	7 00
Northern	9 00	@	14 00
BUTTER—			
North Carolina ℔ lb	20	@	25
Northern	26	@	28
CORN MEAL—			
Per bushel, in sacks	53½	@	55
Virginia Meal	53½	@	55
COTTON TIES—℔ bundle		@	1 40
CANDLES—℔ lb—			
Sperm	18	@	25
Adamantine	8	@	11
CHEESE—℔ lb—			
Northern Factory	13	@	14
Dairy Cream	17	@	18
State	11½	@	13
COFFEE—℔ lb—			
Laguyra	11	@	12½
Rio	9½	@	10½
DOMESTICS—			
Sheeting, 4-4, ℔ yard		@	5¾
Yarns, ℔ bunch of 5 lbs		@	70
FISH—			
Mackerel, No. 1, ℔ barrel	22 00	@	30 00
Mackerel, No. 1, ℔ half-bbl.	11 00	@	15 00
Mackerel, No. 2, ℔ barrel	16 00	@	18 00
Mackerel, No. 2 ℔ half-bbl.	8 00	@	9 00
Mackerel, No. 3, ℔ barrel	13 00	@	14 00
Mullets, ℔ barrel	3 50	@	3 75
Mullets, ℔ pork barrel	6 50	@	7 00
N. C. Roe Herring, ℔ keg	3 00	@	3 25
Dry Cod, ℔ lb	5	@	10
" Extra	4 35	@	4 50
FLOUR—℔ lb—			
Low grade	3 25	@	3 50
Choice		@	3 75
Straight		@	4 00
First Patent	4 40	@	4 50
GLUE—℔ lb	9	@	10
GRAIN—℔ bushel—			
Corn, from store, bgs—White	58	@	60
Mixed Corn	55	@	56
Car-load, in bgs—White		@	55
Oats, from store	35	@	36
Oats, Rust Proof	40	@	42
Cow Peas		@	65
HIDES—℔ lb—			
Green salted		@	16
Dry flint	7	@	8
Dry salt	6	@	7½
HAY ℔ 100 lbs			
No 1 Timothy	95	@	1 00
Rice Straw	40	@	50
Eastern	90	@	1 00
Western	90	@	1 00
North River		@	90
HOOP IRON, ℔ lb	2¾	@	3
LARD, ℔ lb—			
Northern	6¾	@	8¾
North Carolina	9	@	10
LIME, ℔ barrel	1 15	@	1 20
LUMBER (city sawed) ℔ M ft—			
Ship Stuff, resawed	18 00	@	20 00
Rough edge Plank	15 00	@	16 00
West India cargoes, according to quality	13 00	@	18 00
Dressed Flooring, seasoned	18 00	@	23 00
Scantling and Board, com'n	14 00	@	15 00
MOLASSES ℔ gallon—			
Barbadoes, in hogshead		@	25
Barbadoes, in barrels		@	28
Porto Rico, in hogsheads	28	@	30
Porto Rico, in barrels	28	@	32
Sugar House, in hogsheads	12	@	14
Sugar House, in barrels	14	@	15
Syrup, in barrels	15	@	25
NAILS, ℔ keg, Cut, 60d basis		@	2 40
PORK, ℔ barrel—			
City Mess		@	14 50
Rump		@	14 25
Prime		@	14 25
ROPE, ℔ lb	11	@	22
SALT, ℔ sack, Alum		@	1 25
Liverpool	90	@	95
American	90	@	95
On 125 ℔ Sacks		@	60
SUGAR, ℔ lb—Standard Gran'd	5¾	@	5⅞
Standard A		@	5¾
White Extra C		@	5½
Extra C, Golden		@	5⅜
C Yellow		@	4¾
SOAP, ℔ lb—Northern	3¼	@	4
STAVES, ℔ M—W. O. barrel	6 00	@	14 00
R. O. Hogshead		@	10 00
TIMBER, ℔ M feet—Shipping	8 00	@	9 00
Common mill	4 00	@	5 00
Fair mill	5 00	@	6 00
Prime mill	6 50	@	7 50
Extra mill	8 00	@	9 00
SHINGLES, N.C. Cypress sawed			
℔ M 6x24 heart	4 25	@	5 00
" Sap	3 00	@	3 25
5x20 Heart	2 25	@	2 50
" Sap	1 60	@	1 75
WHISKEY, ℔ gallon Northern	1 00	@	2 10

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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

[Quoted officially at the closing by the Produce Exchange.]

STAR OFFICE, November 28.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market firm at 39¼ cents per gallon for machine made casks and 38¾ cents per gallon for country casks.

ROSIN—Market firm at $1.20 per barrel for strained and $1.25 for good strained.

TAR—Market firm at $1.55 per bbl of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market quiet at $1.40 per barrel for hard, $2.40 for dip, and —— for Virgin.

Quotations same day last year.—Spirits turpentine steady at 48¼@47¼c; rosin firm at $1.02½@$1.07½; tar firm at $1.40; crude turpentine quiet at $1.50@$2.80.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	38
Rosin	167
Tar	101
Crude turpentine	131

Receipts same day last year.—47 casks spirits turpentine, bbls 712 rosin, 182 bbls tar, 14 bbls crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market firm on a basis of 9⅝c per pound for middling. Quotations:

Ordinary	7 1-16	cts. ℔ lb
Good ordinary	8 7-16	" "
Low middling	9 1-16	" "
Middling	9⅝	" "
Good middling	9 13-16	" "

Same day last year middling steady at 7⅛c.

Receipts—1,162 bales; same day last year, 2,011 bales.

[Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants.]

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS — North Carolina — Prime, 70c. Extra prime, 75c per bushel of 28 pounds; fancy, 80c. Virginia—Prime, 60c; extra prime, 65c; fancy, 70c.

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N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 13 to 15c per pound; shoulders, 10 to 11c; sides, 8 to 9c.

EGGS—Firm at 19@20 cents per dozen.

CHICKENS—Very dull. Grown, 22½@25 cents; springs, 12½@20 cents.

BEESWAX—Firm at 25 cents.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6½ cents per pound.

TURKEYS—Live, dull at 9c; dressed, 11@12½c.

SWEET POTATOES—Dull at 35c.

FINANCIAL MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—Money on call steady at 3¼@3½ per cent., last loan being at 3½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4½@5 per cent. Sterling exchange steady; actual business in bankers' bills at 485¼@485⅜ for demand and 481⅛ for 60 days. Posted rates were 485½ and 486½. Commercial bills 480¾@481¼. Silver certificates 64@65. Bar silver 64¼. Mexican dollars 50. Government bonds steady. State bonds irregular. Railroad bonds strong. U. S. refunding 2's reg'd, 105¼; U.S. refunding 2's. coupon, 105¼; U.S. 2's, reg'd, —; U. S. 3's, reg'd, 110; do. coupon, 110; U. S. new 4's, reg'd, 138; do. coupon, 138; U. S. 4's, old reg'd 116; do. coupon, 116; U. S. 5's, reg'd, 113¼; do. coupon, 113¼; Southern Railway 5's 112⅛. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio 81¼; Chesapeake & Ohio 35⅝; Manhattan L 109¾; N. Y. Central 142; Reading 19¼; do. 1st pref'd 63⅛; St. Paul, 128¾; do. pref'd, 175⅛; Southern Railway 17⅛; pref'd 66¼; American Tobacco, 108⅜; do. pref'd 130; People's Gas 100⅜; Sugar 132¾; do. pref'd 116; T. C. & Iron 71⅛; U. S. Leather 13⅞; do. preferred 75½; Western Union 83⅛.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—Rosin quiet. Spirits turpentine quiet.

CHARLESTON, Nov. 28.—Spirits turpentine firm at 39c; sales — casks. Rosin firm and unchanged.

SAVANNAH, Nov. 28.—Spirits turpentine firm at 39½c; sales 752 casks; receipts 1,345 casks; exports 360 casks. Rosin firm and unchanged; sales 2,733 barrels; receipts 4,100 barrels; exports 913 barrels.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—Excitement and apathy alternated in to day's cotton market, with variations correspondingly extreme. The customary pre-holiday evening-up occurred and this served to bring about frequent waves of buying and selling; but as a rule business was small and of a professional nature, with the trade at sea owing to semi-sensational fluctuations abroad and to more or less conflicting rumors that strong parties were making a bold attempt at manipulation. The market opened weak and two to eighteen points lower under tremendous liquidation and heavy outside selling, mostly for foreign account. The general haste to unload followed a fall of six to seven points in the English market, said by private parties to have resulted from a drive by interests known to represent influential American parties. Soon afterwards the story gained circulation and was quite generally accepted as true that a leading Philadelphia export house and several well-known New Orleans parties had formulated a plan to manipulate the English, New York and New Orleans markets. Following the opening there was a spurt of covering which carried prices up fifteen points from the low mark. Soon after noon, the market suffered a severe relapse under room and light outside selling, and for the rest of the session was irregular. The close was steady with prices net five to seventeen points lower.

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—Cotton quiet; middling uplands 10⅛c.

Cotton futures market closed steady: November 9.80, December 9.76, January 9.74, February 9.69, March 9.66, April 9.64, May 9.62, June 9.61, July 9.59, August 9.38, September 8.75.

Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands 10⅛c; middling gulf 10⅜c; sales 300 bales.

Net receipts 7,283 bales; gross receipts 7,058 bales; stock 48,391 bales.

Total to-day—Net receipts 45,484 bales; exports to Great Britain 28,727 bales; exports to the Continent 18,035 bales; stock 831,494 bales.

Consolidated—Net receipts 198,918 bales; exports to Great Britain 51,436 bales; exports to France 10,571 bales; exports to the Continent 70,034 bales.

Total since September 1st.—Net receipts 3,266,479 bales; exports to Great Britain 1,206,909 bales; exports to France 244,272 bales; exports to the Continent 822,111 bales.

November 28.—Galveston, steady at 9 1-16c, net receipts 15,625 bales; Norfolk, dull at 9⅞c, net receipts 3,128 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 10⅛c, net receipts — bales; Boston, quiet at 10⅛c, net receipts 3,953 bales; Wilmington, quiet at 9⅝c, net receipts 1,162 bales; Philadelphia, quiet at 10⅜, net receipts — bales; Savannah, steady at 9⅝c, net receipts 7,035 bales; New Orleans, steady at 9¾c, net receipts 12,893 bales; Mobile, easy at 9⅝, net receipts 264 bales; Memphis, steady at 9¾c, net receipts 2,284 bales; Augusta, nominal at 9⅞, net receipts 1,968 bales; Charleston, firm at 9⅝c, net receipts 141 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—Flour was steady, with business checked by the holiday and irregularity of wheat. Wheat—Spot easy; No. 2 red 77⅝c. Options opened steady and throughout the forenoon were well supported by local buying orders and steady English cables. Later prices weakened sharply with corn, followed by a final rally, which closed the market steady at unchanged prices to ⅛c net decline. Sales were: March closed 79⅝c; May closed 79⅜c; November closed 76⅛c; December closed 76⅜c. Corn—Spot weak; No. 2 47c. Options drifted from early steadiness, based on a good cash demand and moderate country offerings, into final depression influenced by a collapse of the November deal at Chicago, partly attributed to a private settlement. The market closed weak at a partial ⅜c net loss. May closed 42⅛c; November closed —c; December closed 43⅞. Oats—Spot steady; No. 2 26⅛c. Options slow and rather easy with corn. Lard weak; Western steam $7 37½; refined quiet. Butter firm; Western creamery 18@25c; State dairy 16@23c. Eggs strong; State and Pennsylvania 25@28c at mark, for average lots; Western regular packing 20@24c. Potatoes quiet; Jerseys $1 00@1 37½; New York $1 25@1 62½; Long Island $1 50@1 75; Jerseys sweets $1 75@2 75. Cabbage steady; Long Island, per 100, $3 00@4 50. Peanuts steady; fancy hand-picked 4¼@5c; other domestic 4c. Petroleum dull. Rice firm. Cheese steady; large September fancy 10¾@11c; do. small fancy 11@11⅛c. Freights to Liverpool—Cotton by steam 20c. Pork dull. Cotton seed oil inactive and nominal, closing with a weak undertone: Prime crude in barrels, 28½c, nominal; prime summer yellow 31⅛c; off summer yellow 31c; prime winter yellow 37@37½c; prime white 35c; prime meal $26 00@26 50. Coffee—Spot Rio easy; No. 7 invoice 7⅛c; mild quiet; Cordova 9¾@13¾. Sugar—Raw was steady; fair refining 3⅞c; centrifugal 96 test 4⅜c; molasses sugar 3⅝c; refined—standard A $5 40; confectioners' A $5 40; mould A $5 85; cut loaf $6 00; crushed $6 00; powdered $5 70; granulated $5 60; cubes $5 75. Market steady.

CHICAGO, November 28.—Corn closed nine cents lower to-day on the withdrawal of Phillips' support. December closed ½c down. Wheat closed ⅛@¼c. Oats ¼ and provisions 5@7½to 12½c depressed.

CHICAGO, Nov. 28.—Cash quotations: Flour dull, unchanged. Wheat—No. 2 —c; No. 3 spring 66@70c; No. 2 red 70½@73c. Corn—No. 2, 41@47c. Oats —No. 2 22¾@23c; No. 2 white 26¼@26¾; No. 3 do 24½@26¼c. Pork, per barrel, $11 12½@11 25. Lard, per 100 lbs, $6 85@6 95. Short rib sides, loose, $6 60@6 75. Dry salted shoulders, $5 87½@6 12½. Short clear sides, boxed $6 70@6 80. Whiskey—Distillers' finished goods, per gallon, $1 27.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 November 70¼, 70¼, 70, 70⅛c; December 70¼@70⅜, 70⅜, 69⅞, 70@70⅛c; January 71@71¼, 71¼, 70⅞, 70⅞. Corn—November 49¼@50, 50, 41, 41c; December 36@36⅛, 36⅛@36¼, 35¾, 35⅞c; May 36¼@36⅜, 36⅜, 36⅛@36¼, 36¼@36⅜c. Oats—November 21¼@21⅜, 21¾, 21⅛, 21⅛c; December 21¼@21⅜, 21⅛, 21¼@21⅜, 21¼c; May 24@24⅛, 24⅛, 23⅞, 23⅞c. Pork, per bbl—November $11 25; January $12 15, 12 17½, 12 02½, 12 07½; May $12 07½, 12 07½, 12 00, 12 05. Lard, per 100 lbs.—November $6 92½, 6 95, 6 87½, 6 95; [illegible] 6 87½, 6 87½, 6 95; [illegible] 6 77½, 6 82½; [illegible] 6 90, 6 87½, 6 90. [illegible] per 100 lbs—November [illegible]; January [illegible] 6 80, 6 80, 6 82½, [illegible]; May [illegible] 6 82½, 6 80, 6 80.

FOREIGN MARKET.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, November 28, 4 P. M.—Cotton—Spot, fair demand, prices firm: American middling [illegible] 1-16d. The sales of the day were 10,000 bales, of which 500 bales were for speculation and export and included 9,000 bales American Receipts 20,000 bales, including 15,200 bales American.

Futures opened quiet and closed quiet. American middling (l. m. c.) November 5 29-64d seller; November and December 5 26 64@5 27 64d seller; December and January 5 22 64@5 23-64d seller; January and February 5 20-64@5 21-64d buyer; February and March 5 18-64@5 19 64d buyer; March and April 5 16-64@5 17 64d buyer; April and May 5 15 64d seller; May and June 5 13 64@5 14 64d seller; June and July 5 11 64@5 12-64d seller; July and August 5 9 64@5 10 64d seller; August and September 4 63 64d buyer.

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W. C. & A. Railroad—141 bales cotton, 8 casks spirits turp[illegible], 155 barrels rosin, 48 barrels tar, 84 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—150 bales cotton, 23 casks spirits turpentine, 2 barrels rosin, 53 barrels tar.

W. & N. Railroad—116 bales cotton, 10 barrels rosin, 44 barrels crude turpentine.

C. C. Railroad—248 bales cotton, 4 casks spirits turpentine.

Total—Cotton, 1,162 bales; spirits turpentine, 38 casks; rosin, 167 barrels; tar, 101 barrels; crude turpentine, 131 barrels.

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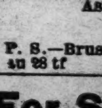
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Pap Perkins, the Postmaster of Jericho, Tells About the Meeting Which Discussed the Advisability of Starting a Brass Band.

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"Look here, pap," said Squar Johnson as he dropped into the postoffice one day when I was alone; "I've got a scheme on hand that'll do more to boost the town of Jericho to the top of the ladder than 40 miles of new sidewalk. Yes, sir, it's a boomer, and if it's carried out you'll see the price of real estate jump 50 per cent."

He waited fur me to git my breath and then lowered his voice and continued:

"Pap, I've got a notice written out fur all patriotic citizens of Jericho to assemble at the postoffice this evenin, and I'll post her up on the door. I want to spring it on 'em all of a sudden. I want to see 'em turn pale and their hair stand up. Jest say to all inquirers, pap, that Jericho is comin right to the front like a steer goin fur a cornfield."

I wanted to know what the scheme was, but the squar winked and nodded and looked mysterious and went off



BLEW OFF HIS SOLE.

without givin his secret away. There was a great deal of curiosity durin the day. Some thought the squar had a balloon ascension in view in order to attract public attention to our new cooper shop, and others had it that he had found a way to dodge the state tax, but it was all guesswork. There was a tremendous crowd on hand when evenin came, and the squar went around rubbin his hands together and smilin all over his face. When he had got the crowd worked up to the pitch where everybody wanted to die fur liberty, he called the meetin to order and said:

"Feller freemen of Jericho, we hev here a beautiful town, a salubrious climate and a populashun to be proud of. We hev the best of water, the lowest of taxes and skassly any use fur doctors. We hev the telephone, electric doorbells and a town pump. A stranger would look around him and say we needed nuthin else. But we do, and that is why I hev called you together here tonight. We need jest one thing more to put Jericho on the pinnacle, and that is a brass band."

"By John, but he's made a p'int!" said Deacon Spooner as he whacked on the counter with his cane. "Yes, sir, Jericho needs a brass band to boost her, and I'm with the squar. Let us hear what Moses Hopkins has to say about it."

"As I take it," said Moses, "a brass band plays tunes, and I'd like to know in advance what sort of tunes this band is goin to play. If it's goin to play 'The Sweet By and By,' then I'm in fur a band. If it's goin to play hi-diddle-diddle tunes, then I'm ag'in it."

"That's a p'int as fur as it goes," said the deacon, "but it don't go fur 'nuff. Enos Williams, you was in the hog buyin bizness fur 20 years, and you ought to know about brass bands. What d'you think of the idea?"

"That depends," said Enos. "I don't go much on a brass band that toots its wind all over town and wastes it on the air. If we had a band that would come down to the depot to meet me as I come in from Tarrytown, I think I'd kind of like it."

"By John, but he's right, and he's made a p'int!" shouted the deacon.

"I don't see the p'int," said Squar Johnson as he colored up. "Why should our brass band go down to the depot to welcome a man who hain't never done anything in particular fur Jericho? Enos is a good 'nuff man in his way, but did the outside world ever hear of him? Was he consulted about buildin the new sewer or paintin the town hall? Has he ever laid awake nights thinkin how this town could be boosted to the top?"

"Enos, he's knocked your p'int out and made one ag'in you," said the deacon, "but we'll hear from some of the rest. How is it with you, Jabez Fowler?"

"I can't exactly say till I know what the band is goin to do," replied Jabez. "My old woman is mighty fond of brass band tunes which lift up the heels, and if the band'll come over to my house three times a week and give us sunthin lively I'll chip in."

"Mebbe I'm mistaken in this crowd," said the squar as he looked around in a serious way. "Mebbe this is a crowd composed of freeborn Americans whose forefathers fought at Bunker Hill, and mebbe it's made up of men who'd steal the statue of Liberty and sell it fur old junk. To say that I am astonished does not half express my feelin's."

"That sellin the statue of Liberty is a p'int, and a strong one," said the deacon, "but what we want is a free expreshun of opinion. Jube Hornbecker looks as if he wanted to say sunthin."

"I'd like to ask the squar," said Jube in his humble way, "if he expects that band to meet him at the depot when he comes home?"

"Bein I hold the posishun I do," answered the squar, "bein I'm referred to as the leadin man in Jericho, if the band wanted to go down and see me off or wanted to be there to welcome me home I don't reckon anybody would find fault."

"But I'd want the same thing," said Ebenezer Scott. "I ain't no justice of the peace, but my dairy is milkin 28 cows this summer, and I feel I'm as big as anybody. I go over to Dobbs Ferry once in two weeks, and I should want that band to toot me off and toot me home ag'in."

"There may be a p'int," said the deacon as he scratched his ear, "but I don't skassly see it. Mebbe the squar wants to say sunthin further about liberty and Bunker Hill?"

"I'm sayin," replied the squar as he heaved a long sigh, "that patriotism and love of country seems to be dead-er'n a doornail in these United States. Mebbe there's a man in this crowd aside from me who'd be willin to shed his blood that our glorious republic might be saved from ruin and desolashun, but if thar be I can't name him. You might as well disperse to your homes and tell your wives and children that Jericho is doomed."

"By John, but what a p'int—what a p'int!" whispered the deacon. "Before we bust up and go to ruin, however, I'd like to hear from Reuben White. Reuben's bin as far west as Detroit, and he ought to know what influence a brass band has on a town."

"The influence of a brass band is accordin to the leader," said Reuben. "I've seen 'em where they jumped a town right to the front in four weeks, and I've seen 'em where they killed things dead in two. The leader wants to be a pecoolliar sort of a man. He wants to be born fur the place, same as Washington was. He wants to be ready to die at two minits' notice or to live fur a hundred years."

"And mebbe you think you're that man?" queried the squar as he pounded on the counter with his fist.

"I do. I know I am. I'm the only man in Jericho as kin lead a band to success and make the town hump herself. I'm a self sacrificin critter, as you all know, and if this meetin thinks best"—

But the meetin shouted him down, and it was five minits before Deacon Spooner could make his voice heard, and then he said:

"There's more p'ints bobbin up here than you kin shake a stick at, but we might as well hev one more. S'posin we hear from Lish Billings. He's the only man in Jericho who kin play on an accordion. What d'you say, Lish?"

"There's mighty little to be said and nuthin to bust up the country," answered Lish. "Do any of you sons of Bunker Hill know how much wind it takes to blow a brass horn?"

Nobody did, and a hush fell upon the crowd.

"It takes ten pounds, reckoned by a lung tester," said Lish, "and you'd want an extra pound fur walkin up hill. There was a lung tester man in town two weeks ago, and every son of us handed over a nickel and took a blow. We blowed and strained and blowed, and Rube White was one of 'em who blowed a sole off his boot, and yit no man reached seven pounds. Whar you goin to git your wind to blow them horns?"

There was a painful silence while you could count a hundred, and then Deacon Spooner said:

"By John, but I'm goin home and tell the old woman that I don't know beans when the bag's untied, and the rest of you'd better do the same thing!"

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Playtime In the Senate.

Senator Butler once had a bill appropriating $5,000 to build a monument on the Moore's Creek battlefield, North Carolina, which was an especial object of Senator Wolcott's fun.

"Can the senator tell me the date of the battle?" he asked Mr. Butler.

"It was the first battle of the Revolution, 29 days before the battle of Lexington," was the reply.

"But cannot the senator tell me the day and the year?" persisted Mr. Wolcott.

Mr. Butler was stumped. "I can tell the senator tomorrow," he finally remarked.

"Then," replied Mr. Wolcott, "I will let my objection stand until tomorrow also."

A few minutes later Senator Wolcott relented, and Mr. Butler made another effort to get the appropriation agreed to. This time it was Senator Lodge who objected.

"Oh, don't object, Lodge," said Wolcott in a stage whisper; "he'll put the date of the battle forward a year if you are jealous on account of Lexington."

But Mr. Lodge continued to object, and the monument bill remained on the calendar.—Washington Post.

Horseshoes.

Horseshoes are of uncertain date and have caused some discussion among military historians. Nailed shoes were not known by the Greeks, for Xenophon gives minute instructions for hardening the hoof. Nor did the Romans use them. Nero had mules shod with a plate of silver fastened by crossed thongs to the hoof. With Poppæa, his later wife, it is said these plates were of gold. The earliest positive evidence of nailed shoes is furnished by the skeleton of a horse found in the tomb of Childeric I (458-81) at Tournay in 1653.

The very people who talk about "vulgar trade" are usually the ones who never pay their bills. — Philadelphia Record.

Dignity may stoop to conquer, but it never grovels in the dust.—Chicago News.

Flight of Time.

Old Med—Well, old man, how'd you sleep last night? Follow my advice 'bout counting up?

New Med—Yes, indeed; counted up to 18,000.

Old Med—Bully! And then you fell asleep, eh?

New Med—Guess not; it was morning by that time, and I had to get up. —Pennsylvania Punch Bowl.

Never bear more than one kind of trouble at a time. Some people bear three kinds—all they have had, all they have now and all they expect to have.

Learn to keep your ears open and your mouth closed.—Dallas News.

HE SAVED THE GIRL.

An Adventure With the Cannibals of the Solomon Islands.

One day, on a Solomon beach, a little girl ran to me and, before I was aware of it, placed my foot on her neck. One knows what this means well enough. In hot war it means that if a chief allows his foot to rest on the defeated one's neck the man's life is safe, but he is a slave forever, rescue or no rescue. I was puzzled at the child's action. It was soon explained. Shortly afterward down came a lot of villagers and insisted on taking the youngster. I told them what she had done. They said they did not care. Her mother was being cooked in the town, and the child should go to the ovens with her.

"Never!" I said. "What! We who have eaten betel nut together many times, to quarrel for a mere child, to whom I have granted life in your own way!" I swore they should kill me first. They replied:

"Oh, that is an easy thing to do."

A bold front was the only thing now. Luckily, I had my 16 shooter. Springing back and putting a mark on the sand with my foot, I swore I would shoot the first man who crossed it. As I said before, the natives do not care to face an armed white in the open. They knew I could answer for a dozen of them or so, and, although clubs were up and bows bent, they hesitated, as well they might, and I knew I had mastered them. Then one proposed I should buy the child fairly; they cared not to fight a friend. To this I at once agreed, and a muss was thus avoided, and a mission ax, worth tenpence, made me a slave owner. Tell it not in Gath.—From "Among the Man Eaters," by John Caggin.

Tough on the Joker.

The contributor wrote a joke about a plumber whose bills were always normal. "That," said the editor, rejecting it, "is not a joke; it's a lie."

The contributor tried again with a story of the plumber whose charges left nothing to be desired on the score of size. "That," said the editor, who had suffered, "is not a lie. Neither is it a joke."—Scraps.

More Honest.

"Have you noticed any difference in your wife since she became converted and joined the church?"

"Yes; she asks me to wait an hour for her now instead of a minute."—Harper's Bazar.

A Man to Let Alone.

"What kind of a man is your new bookkeeper?"

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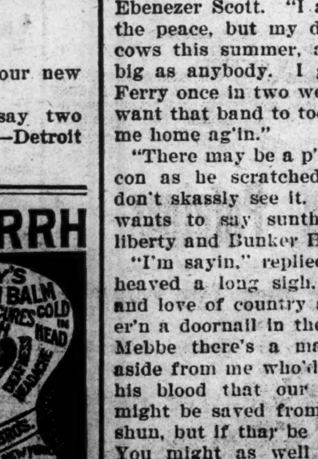
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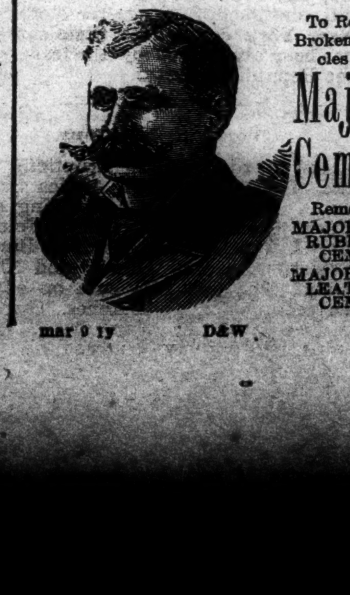
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RESOURCES.

Loans	$ 840,613.28
Overdrafts	36.83
U. S. Bonds (at par)	216,100.00
Banking House and Fixtures	10,000.00
Due from app'd res've agt's $ 32,463.49	
Due from other banks 162,145.02	
Cash on hand 98,592.78	293,221.29
Total	$1,359,971.35

LIABILITIES.

Capital	$ 125,000.00
Surplus and undivided profits	108,307.65
Circulation	95,100.00
Deposits U. S. Treas. $120,875.00	
Deposits from Banks 179,645.47	
Deposits from individuals 731,043.23	1,031,563.70
Total	$1,359,971.35

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT.

	Sept. 5 '98.	Sept. 5, '99.	Sept. 5, 1900
Total deposits	$531,800	$867,100	$1,031,500
Surplus and net profits	83,200	95,900	108,300
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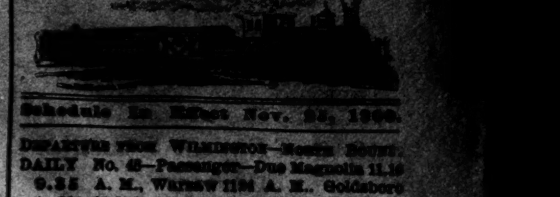
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DAILY 7.00 P. M. No. 40—Passenger—Due Magnolia 8.30 P. M., Warsaw 8.43 P. M., Goldsboro 9.37 P. M., Wilson 10.30 P. M., †Tarboro 6.46 A. M., Rocky Mount 11.13 P. M., Weldon 1.00 A. M., †Norfolk 10.25 A. M., Petersburg 2.37 A. M., Richmond 3.26 A. M., Washington 7.01 A. M., Baltimore 8.20 A. M., Philadelphia 10.35 A. M., New York 1.03 P. M., Boston 9.00 P. M.

DAILY except Sunday 2.25 P. M. No. 50—Passenger—Due Jacksonville 4.13 P. M., Newbern 5.40 P. M.

SOUTH BOUND.

DAILY 3.45 P. M. No. 55—Passenger—Due Lake Waccamaw 4.58 P. M., Chadbourn 5.30 P. M., Marion 6.40 P. M., Florence 7.25 P. M., Sumter 9 12 P. M., Columbia 10.35 P. M., Denmark 5.55 A. M., Augusta 7.55 A. M., Macon 11.15 A. M., Atlanta 12.35 P. M., Charleston 10.55 P. M., Savannah 2 45 A. M., Jacksonville 8.30 A. M., St. Augustine 11.10 A. M., Tampa 6.45 P. M.

WEST BOUND.

DAILY 9.00 A. M. No. 53—Passenger—Due Fayetteville 12.05 P.M., leaves Fayetteville 12.25 P. M., arrives Sanford 1.43 P. M.

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON—FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY 6.00 P. M. No. 49—Passenger—Leave Boston †1.03 P. M., New York *9.25 P. M., Philadelphia 12.20 A. M., Baltimore 2.55 A. M., Washington 4.30 A. M., Richmond 9.05 A. M., Petersburg 9.48 A. M., Norfolk 9.00 A. M., Weldon 11.50 A. M., Tarboro 12.21 P. M. Rocky Mount 12.59 P. M., Wilson 2.40 P. M., Goldsboro 3.30 P. M., Warsaw 4.22 P. M., Magnolia 4.35 P. M.

DAILY 9.20 A. M. No. 41—Passenger—Leave Boston 12 night, New York 8 55 A. M., Philadelphia 11.33 A. M., Baltimore 1.46 P. M., Washington 3.12 P. M., Richmond 6.50 P. M., Petersburg 7.25 P. M., †Norfolk 2.20 P. M., Weldon 9.05 P. M., †Tarboro 6.00 P. M., Rocky Mount 5.15 A. M. Leave Wilson 5.57 A. M., Goldsboro 6.45 A. M., Warsaw 7.38 A. M., Magnolia 7.51 A. M.

DAILY except Sunday 12.15 P. M. No. 51—Passenger—Leave Newbern 9.00 A. M., Jacksonville 10.98 A. M.

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DAILY 1.25 P. M. No 54—Passenger—Leave Tampa 9.50 A. M., Sanford 2.20 P. M., Jacksonville 8.00 P. M., Savannah 1.30 A. M., Charleston 6.48 A. M., Atlanta 7.50 A. M. Macon 9.00 A. M., Augusta 2.30 P. M., Denmark 4.29 P. M., Columbia 6.40 A. M., Sumter 8.05 P. M., Florence 9.55 A. M., Marion 10.35 A. M., Chadbourn 11.41 A. M., Lake Waccamaw 12.12 P. M.

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DAILY 7.25 P. M. No. 52—Passenger—Leave Sanford 3.05 P. M., arrive Fayetteville 4.20 P. M., leave Fayetteville 4.30 P. M.

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Train between Rocky Mount and Richmond leaves Rocky Mount 7.15 A. M., arrive Weldon 8.17 A. M., arrive Petersburg 10 18 A. M., arrives Richmond 11.10 A. M.

Trains on the Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 3.55 P. M., Halifax 4.17 P. M.; arrive Scotland Neck 5.08 P. M., Greenville 6.57 P. M., Kinston 7.55 P. M. Returning, leaves Kinston 7.50 A. M., Greenville 8.52 A. M.; arriving Halifax at 11.18 A. M., Weldon 11.33 A. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8.10 A. M. and 2.30 P. M.; arrive Parmele 9.10 A. M. and 4.00 P. M.; returning leaves Parmele 9.35 A. M. and 6.30 P. M.; arrives Washington 11 00 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 5.30 P. M.; Sunday, 4.15 P. M.; arrives Plymouth 7.40 P. M. and 6.10 P. M. Returning, leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 7.50 A. M. and Sunday 9.00 A. M.; arrive Tarboro 10.10 A. M. and 11.00 A. M.

Trains leave Goldsboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 5.00 A. M.; arrives Smithfield, N. C., 6.10 A. M. Returning leaves Smithfield 7.00 A. M.; arrives Goldsboro 8.25 A. M.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 9.30 A. M., 3.40 P. M.; arrives Nashville 10.20 A. M., 4.03 P. M., Spring Hope 11.00 A. M., 4.25 P. M. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 11.20 A. M., 4.55 P. M., Nashville 11.45 A. M.; 5.25 P. M., arrives at Rocky Mount 12.10 A. M., 6.00 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton, daily, except Sunday, 11.40 A. M. and 4.25 P. M. Returning, leaves Clinton 6.45 A. M. and 2.50 P. M.

Train leaves Pee Dee 10.13 A. M., arrive Latta 10.31 A. M., Dillon 10.43 A. M., Rowland 10.58 A. M. Returning, leaves Rowland 6.06 P. M.; arrives Dillon 6.28 P. M., Latta 6.42 P. M., Pee Dee 7.08 P. M., daily.

Trains on Conway Branch leave Boardman at 3.00 P. M., Chadbourn 5.35 P. M.; arrive Conway 7.40 P. M.; leave Conway 8.15 A. M., Chadbourn 11.50 A. M.; arrive Boardman 12.28 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains leave Sumter 5.85 P. M., Manning 6.04 P. M.; arrive Lane's 6.43 P. M.; leave Lane's 8.34 A. M., Manning 9.09 A. M.; arrive Sumter 9.40 A. M. Daily.

Georgetown and Western Railroad leave Lane's 8.40 A. M., †7.40 P. M.; arrive Georgetown 10.00 M., 9.00 P. M.; leave Georgetown 6.30 A. M., †4.15 P. M.; arrive Lane's 8.00 A. M.; †5.35 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains leave Florence daily except Sunday at 9.50 A. M.; arrive Darlington 10.15 A. M., Hartsville 9.15 P. M., Cheraw 11.30 A. M., Wadesboro 12.35 P. M.; leave Florence daily except Sunday at 7.00 P.M.; arrive Darlington 8.25 P. M., Bennettsville 9.22 P. M., Gibson 10.20 P. M. Leave Florence Sunday only 9.50 A. M., arrive Darlington 10.15 A. M.

Leave Gibson daily except Sunday at 6.00 A. M. Bennettsville 7.00 A. M.; arrive Darlington 8.00 A. M. Leave Darlington 8.50 A. M.; arrive Florence 9.15 A. M. Leave Wadesboro daily except Sunday 4.10 P. M., Cheraw 5.15 P. M., Hartsville 7.00 A. M., Darlington 6.29 P. M.; arrive Florence 7.00 P. M. Leave Darlington Sunday only at 8.50 A. M., arrive Florence 9.15 A. M.

Wilson and Fayetteville Branch leave Wilson 1.59 P. M., 10.40 P. M., arrive Selma 2.42 P. M., 11.18 P. M., Smithfield 3.03 P. M., Dunn 3.49 P. M., Fayetteville 4.25 P. M., 12.39 A. M., Rowland 6.06 P. M., returning leave Rowland 10.58 A. M., Fayetteville 12.20 P. M., 1022 P. M., Dunn 1.04 P. M., Smithfield 1.43 P. M., Selma 1.50 P. M., 11.35 P. M., arrive Wilson 2.35 P. M., 12.13 A. M.

Trains leave Sumter 4.05 A. M., Creston 4.54 A. M., arrive Denmark 5.55 A. M. Returning, leave Denmark 4.29 P. M., Creston 5.39 P. M., Sumter 6.24 P. M. Daily.

Trains leave Creston 5.45 A. M., arrive Pregnalls 9.15 A. M. Returning, leave Pregnalls 10.00 A. M., arrive Creston 3.50 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains leave Elliott 10.35 A. M., and arrive Lucknow 12.15 P. M. Returning, leave Lucknow 1.50 P. M., arrive Elliott 3.30 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

†Daily except Sunday. *Sunday only.

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Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad.

Time Table No. 16.



To Take Effect Sunday, Oct. 21, 1900, at 12.01 A. M.

GOING EAST. GOING WEST.

3 Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	3 Pass'g'r Trains Leave	STATIONS	4 Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	4 Pass'g'r Trains Leave
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
....	3 40	Goldsboro........	11 05	....
....	4 32	Kinston........	10 12	....
5 40	5 50	Newbern........	8 37	9 00
7 02	7 07	Morehead City.	7 25	7 27
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W. train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.35 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 2.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train arriving at Goldsboro 3.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.05 P. M. No. 3 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

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THURSDAY MORNING, NOV. 29.

AGAINST RAILWAY COMPANY.

Interstate Commerce Commission's Decision in the Case of City of Danville Va. the Southern.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—The Interstate Commerce Commission to day dismissed the petition for a re hearing in the case of the city of Danville, Va., against the Southern Railway Company and others, decided last February against the railroad company. The original decision held that the freight rates between the West and Danville should not be more than fifteen per cent above the rates to Lynchburg, and that freight rates for Northern and Eastern cities, and rates on certain commodities from New Orleans to Danville, should not exceed those to Lynchburg by more than ten per cent.

The Southern railway claims that to obey the decision would cause it a total loss of over $433,000 per annum, through necessary changes at other points.

Referring to the claim of the company that its $120,000,000 of common stock paid no dividend in 1899, and that the order of the commission would deprive the owners of the stock of their property without due process of law, the commission says that the stock was issued as part of the reorganization scheme under which the company came into existence, and it does not appear in testimony that anything ever was paid for it. The commission rules that it does not rest in the whim of a reorganization committee in Wall street to impose a tax upon that whole Southern country; that the property of the railroad company should be most carefully protected, but the property of the citizens of Danville is just as sacred as are the securities of the railway company.

ILLINOIS BANK ROBBED.

The Vault Wrecked With Dynamite—All the Bank's Funds Taken--A Police Officer Shot.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

EMDEN, ILL., November 28.—Four masked men wrecked the Farmers' Bank of Emden to-day. It is stated they secured all the funds of the bank, between $3,000 and $4,000.

When the robbers discharged their first blasts of dynamite in an effort to open the vault, the explosion aroused a citizen, John Alberts, four blocks away. Alberts hurried to the bank. One of the robbers was on guard in the street. He seized Alberts who was bound hand and foot and dragged into the bank, where he witnessed the gang drilling into the vault door, making ready a second blast. When the fuse was lighted the robbers stepped outside and Alberts lay in the corner when it went off. He was not seriously injured, however. The second blast unhinged the vault doors, and the robbers made off with all the cash.

Securing a hand-car they pulled in the direction of Delavan. They these were met by Night Patrol Sanford who attempted to arrest them. One of the robbers fired and Sanford fell, mortally wounded through the body. Outside of town the men boarded a passenger train on the Chicago & Alton. All traces of them were lost. The engineer of the passenger train claims that he saw a man jump from the first car near Minier while the train was moving at a high speed, but a search of the locality failed to show any traces of the man.

The bank building was almost a complete wreck and the vault entirely wrecked.

LIST OF LETTERS.

Remaining Uncalled For in the Wilmington Postoffice Nov. 27, 1900.

WOMEN'S LIST.

Sue E Bowden, Harriet S. Catrich, Grace Conrad, Lucy Chamber, Florence Davis, Callie R Gray, Betsy Howard, Ida Hayes, R L Harvey, Jennie Johnson, E J Johnson, Mattie Johnson, Ellen Kelly, Frankie McLea, Miss Moore, Kate Winthrop, Nancie Neal, Mary K Price, Mattie J Peterson, Isabella Richardson, J H Roberts, Jimmy Powers, Martha Rouch, Ada Rodgers, C. V. Shipman, L Souttler, Mary A Thomas, Annabella Walker, Ada F Wand, Violet Williams, Augusta Young.

MEN'S LIST.

Irwin Ashford, Willis Alexander, F M Bohomon, J W Bryant, Pelham Bradford, George H Burroughs, B C Cooper, Charles Crowley, Charles Craig, George Douglas, James J Dougherty, Dolphus George, Rev Dr Goodal, Oscar Gulley, Walter Grimes, Alfred Harriss, Charles Harrison, E E Heinrich, Mayer Jacobwitz, Robert Jacpson, William Jones, Bast King, Frank Larkin, Lea Loel, T J Little, Dr M McFoyden, C S McDaniel, E S McDaniel, James Momley, Joe Newmeyer, H L Prince, Jl M Paine, D R Dory, George Shirley, Samuels & Co, Wm Stevens, James Taylor, W H Tompps, George Williams, Jack Wilson, N Y Womble, Mingo Wright, Wm White.

RETURNED FROM DEAD LETTER OFFICE.

Gracie Rose, J. W. Turner.

Persons calling for above letters will please say advertised. If not called for in fifteen days they will be sent to the dead letter office. M. C. DARBY, Postmaster.

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Officials of the War Department deny positively that Commssiary General Egan, now under suspension from the army, has been reinstated. It is further said that General Egan has filed no formal application to have the sentence set aside.

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MUST BE MODIFIED OR ABANDONED.

Agreement Among the Powers' Ministers to Present Ultimatum to China.

OPPOSED BY UNITED STATES.

Relative to the Decapitation or Other Extreme Punishment of Eleven of the Princes and Other Officials Responsible for Outrages

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—It developed to-day that the chief point in the exchanges concerning China which have been going on during the last few days among the Powers relates to the wisdom of delivering an "ultimatum" to China, using the express word "ultimatum" in the text of the demand to be handed to the Chinese envoys, involving the possibility of a resulting declaration of war against China in case the demands of the ultimatum be not complied with. It appears that some of the Powers desired the express use of the word "ultimatum" in the demand relative to the decapitation or other extreme punishment of eleven of the princes and other high officials responsible for the outrages, and this view of using the most expressive term of diplomacy seems to have found favor with the ministers at Pekin.

Appeal For Moderation.

When it became known at the several capitals considerable dissent became manifest. About a week ago Japan took the initiative in an appeal for moderation, and this received the favorable consideration of the United States, France, Russia, and probably Great Britain, although a positive statement as to Great Britain cannot be made. About the same time Secretary Hay took steps to express the view of this government that it was inadvisable to proceed to the extent of an ultimatum against China, but that the demands should not be beyond what China reasonably might have the power to comply with. The unanimity of sentiment among the Powers gives grounds for the belief that the demands of the ministers will be modified by the omission of the ultimatum, although it is not yet clear what the final attitude of the remaining Powers—Germany, Austria and Italy—will be.

The negotiations in this particular were carried on in London through Ambassador Choate, and it is regarded as significant that one of the parties to the Anglo-German alliance should give its adherence to the moderate position advanced by the United States.

President Wants Text of Agreement.

The State Department has cabled Minister Conger to forward the text of the agreement reached by the foreign ministers at Pekin. Meanwhile he will withhold his signature until the President has had an opportunity to satisfy himself as to this important document and to make such changes as will bring it in accord with our policy.

It is safe to predict that this particular agreement will not become effective in its present shape. It appears that, upon inquiry directed to the Powers themselves, their ministers at Pekin have not correctly reflected their present views as to the basis of the peace negotiations. This statement certainly, is true as to a majority of the Powers interested, and the fact is regarded as warranting the prediction that the agreement must be modified or abandoned.

American Consuls in China.

It is learned at the State Department that while these negotiations are dragging along at Pekin, some of the American consuls in China are achieving practical and valuable results by individual efforts. They are addressing themselves in cases directly to the viceroys of the great provinces where American property interests have suffered, to secure indemnity and reparation, and in most cases they are succeeding very well. It is surmised from the latest Chinese advices that the English consuls are doing likewise, and are collecting many claims, and the moneys are being turned over to the mission interests which suffered. If this movement continues, it is entirely possible that the United States and Great Britain will not be obliged to concern themselves with the prosecution of individual claims for indemnity through the slow moving agencies at Pekin.

Germany's Position.

BERLIN, November 28.—The semi-official *Berliner Post*, in the course of an evidently inspired article, replying to the suggestions of more lenient punishments of guilty officials in China made by the United States government says:

"Since doubts have been expressed here and there as to whether it is advisable to insist upon death for the ringleaders of the anti-foreign movement as an irrevocable decision, it should be pointed out that such doubts cannot be traced to considerations of humanity, as if some Power regarded such a punishment as too severe. The fact is, rather, that all the Powers are convinced that the ringleaders deserve death; but that the question has been raised on various sides as to whether such a measure should be insisted upon from the standpoint of political expediency. So far as Germany is concerned, she has never insisted upon the execution of specific persons, and has repeatedly declared that she laid chief emphasis upon the harmonious action of all the Powers in punishing the guilty. This attitude corresponds with the guiding principle of Germany's policy, which seeks, above all else, to preserve the harmony of the Powers."

The *Freisinnige Zeitung* describes the *Post's* declaration as "Germany's retreat from the demand for the death penalty."

The papers this evening resume their criticism of the course of the United States government based upon the latest news from Washington.

The Berliner *Nueste Nachrichten* says: "The United States, with Russia, is China's chief-defender."

The *Tokal Anzeiger* says: "Renewed evidence of the separate policy of the United States."

PARIS, November 28.—A dispatch from Pekin to the Havas agency says the ministers of the following Powers declare they are authorized to sign the joint agreement to be presented to China:

Germany, the United States, Great Britain, Austria-Hungary, Belgium and Italy.

A Gloomy Outlook.

LONDON, Nov. 29.—"The representations of Prince Ching, Li Hung Chang and others, to the Chinese court, that the Powers are dissatisfied and are threatening action on the Yang Tse-Kiang to stop supplies," says the Pekin correspondent of the *Morning Post*, wiring Tuesday, "are reported to be having an effect and it is said that the court is likely to take measures to meet the Powers.

"An American correspondent reports from Pao Ting Fu that 3,000 Germans, under General Kettler, and 3,000 French troops under General Bailloud, concentrated there recently, for the winter, with the intention of making frequent expeditions north and south to punish reputed Boxer villages.

"Prince Ukhtomski is in daily conference with Li Hung Chang, and occasionally meets Prince Ching. He regards the outlook as dark, even if the Powers agree, for, he says, China may reject the terms and then will come war, rebellion and famine. Prince Ukhtomski favors allowing China to govern herself, the Powers holding the ports until she does reform herself and does undertake to protect foreigners. Russia," he says, "has no intention of annexing Manchuria, although she will have to have more Cossacks there in order to maintain a dominating force. He is convinced that, even if others make war on China, Russia will not."

SHANGHAI, Nov. 28.—Advices from Sian Fu assert that the Empress Dowager has consented to the return of Emperor Kwang Su to Pekin, although she will remain at Sian Fu.

LONDON, Nov. 29.—The Berlin correspondent of the *Standard* says he hears that Germany has notified the United States of her willingness to waive the demand for the execution of the Chinese officials.

THE TROUBLE WITH TURKEY.

Indications That a Compromise Will Be Arranged at Constantinople.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, November 28.—Ali Ferrough Bey, the Turkish minister here, called on Secretary Hay to day relative to the visit of the big battleship Kentucky to Turkish waters. The Kentucky sailed from Naples last Saturday and arrived at the important port of Smyrna this morning, only a few hours before the minister's visit.

It is understood that the negotiations between Mr. Grissom, our charge at Constantinople, and the Porte for the settlement of the missionary claims and the question as to Dr. Norton's exequatur as consul at Harpoot are progressing, with indications that a compromise will be arranged.

NEW YORK, November 28.—Cable advices say that the Vienna *Tageblat* publishes a dispatch from Constantinople to the effect that the Turkish council of ministers have held a conference to determine whether or not the sending of the United States battleship Kentucky to Smyrna should be regarded as an act of hostility. According to the *Tageblat's* dispatch, the home minister urged the severance of diplomatic relations with the United States and even went so far as to threaten war unless the Kentucky should be withdrawn from Turkish waters. The ministers expressed the belief that the European Powers would not permit the United States to attack Turkey, and that country, therefore, would be safe in taking a defiant attitude.

VIENNA, November 29.—The Vienna morning papers publish nothing in corroboration of the report that a council of the Ottoman ministers has been held in Constantinople for the purpose of considering a declaration of war against the United States in view of the presence of the Unitad States battleship Kentucky at Smyrna. On the contrary the report has no credence whatever.

LONDON, November 28.—An imperial irade orders the immediate signature of a contract for the construction of a fast cruiser with the Cramps, of Philadelphia, says the Constantinople correspondent of the *Daily Chronicle*. The price agreed upon will give a sufficient surplus to pay the American indemnities. Thus the United States gains an important commercial and diplomatic success.

RAILROAD RUMORS

Concerning the Southern and the Seaboard Air Line.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, November 29.—The *Tribune* to-morrow will print the following:

Rumors that Thomas F. Ryan was about to withdraw the suits which as a stockholder of the Seaboard and Roanoke and the Raleigh and Gaston companies he has brought in opposition to the Seaboard Air Line consolidation project, and that his stockholdings were to be purchased by a syndicate of which John L. Williams and Sons of Richmond, and Middendorf, Oliver and Company, of Baltimore, are members, were reported yesterday (Wednesday) afternoon and it was added that at a meeting of the managing committee of the Seaboard Air line, held earlier in the day, terms of purchase of the Ryan stock were discussed.

Despite all denials, it is believed in certain circles that important new interests have entered the list of Southern Railway stockholders and that the Pennsylvania Railroad will have a representative in the Southern board at the next annual meeting. It is also reported that as a step precedent to the entrance of the Pennsylvania interests into the management, the present voting trust of the Southern Railway is soon to be dissolved. A prominent director of the Southern railway, said, however, that he was not aware of any intention on the part of the controlling interests to dissolve the voting trust.

THE WAR IN SOUTH AFRICA.

Eight Thousand Troops to Be Sent from England Upon Demand of Roberts.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LONDON, November 28.—While the reports of the condition of Cape Colony are regarded as somewhat unnecessarily alarmist, there is little disposition to take a too roseate view of the general situation. The constant dispatch to South Africa of reinforcing drafts and the daily fights at points wide apart, show that the war is not over, and, while that Lord Roberts has demanded 20,000 fresh troops is incorrect, it is a fact that he has asked for eight thousand men to re-place the battalions whose wastage incapacitates from duty at the front. These reliefs will be dispatched, but they will seriously attenuate the garrison of the United Kingdom, as Lord Roberts insists the troops shall be picked men and have seasoned officers.

RUHLIN AND MAHER.

Arrangements for a Fight to Take Place December 17th.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, November 28.—Arrangements for the meeting between Gus Ruhlin and Peter Maher were concluded here to-day. Billy Madden, manager of Ruhlin, and Peter Lowry, Maher's representative, met Joe McCarthy, match-maker for the Penn Art Athletic Club, of Philadelphia, and without any unnecessary delay affixed their signatures to the articles offered by McCarthy and posted forfeits to clinch the match. The contest will be limited to six rounds and will take place on December 17th.

U. S. WARSHIP LOST IN A TYPHOON

The Converted Cruiser Yosemite, Stationed at the Island of Guam.

FIVE OF THE CREW PERISHED

The Ship Parted Her Cables and Drifted Sixty Miles--Struck a Reef and Was Wrecked – The Survivors Rescued by a Collier.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, November 28.—A cable dispatch from Manila, received here to-day, reports the sinking of the United States auxiliary cruiser Yosemite, in a typhoon at Guam, November 15th. Five of the crew were lost.

MANILA, November 29.—The United States auxiliary cruiser Yosemite parted her cables off the harbor of San Luis d'Apra, Island of Guam, drifted sixty miles, struck a reef and was wrecked. Five of the crew were drowned. A collier rescued the remainder.

WASHINGTON, November 28.—The Yosemite was commissioned April 13th, 1898. She has been station ship at the island of Guam since the days of the Spanish war. She is a sixteen-knot converted cruiser of 6,179 tons displacement, and is provided with a main battery of ten five-inch rapid firing guns, a secondary battery of six 6 pounders and two Colt rifles. She has a complement of eighteen officers and 267 men. Her measurements are 391 feet in length by 48 feet extreme breadth. She has a mean draft of 20 feet one inch.

Just before the outbreak of the Spanish American war, the vessel was purchased by the Navy Department, fitted as an auxiliary cruiser and rendered effective service as one of the patrol fleet, being manned in part by the Michigan naval militia. It is said that her anchorage at Guam was off the harbor of San Louis d'Apra, and that owing to her draft she was obliged to lie six miles off shore. The harbor is a particularly dangerous one, owing to the rocky shoal in the middle and particularly crooked channel. According to the naval register the Yosemite was manned by 18 officers and 267 men. but in her capacity as a station ship not all these were required and undoubtedly a part of them were ashore engaged in duties at the naval station. This probably would be true of her commander, Seaton Schroeder, who also is governor of Guam, and who probably left the active command of the ship to the ranking lieutenant, Augustus N. Mayer. The other officers accredited to the ship by the register are, Lieutenants W. E. Safford, Albert Moritz, B. B. Bierr; Ensigns, A. W. Pressey, H. L. Collins, A. N. Mitchell and F. T. Evans; Assistant Surgeon, O. M. Furlong; Assistant Paymaster, P. W. Delano; Chaplain, L. P. Rennolds, and eight warrant officers.

ACTIVITY OF THE BOERS.

Believed to Be Preparing for a Descent Upon Cape Colony.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

EDENBURG, ORANGE RIVER COLONY, November 24.—The Boers are most active between the railroad and Basutoland, South of Ladybrand, Thabanchu and Bloomfontein. General DeWet and former President Steyn are near Dewetsdorp. It is believed they are preparing for a descent on Cape Colony for recruits and supplies. As a counter move, two battalions of the Guards, Grenadiers and first Cold Streams hold all the fords of the Orange river from Aliwalnorth to the Orange river station. But small parties of mounted Boers are able to cross the river almost anywhere. The British have great need of more mounted troops. Otherwise the capture of DeWet is hopeless.

A BUDDHIST NUN.

Proposes to Speak Throughout the Country in Behalf of Her Faith.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SAN FRANCISCO, November 28.—Sister Sanghamitta, a Buddhist nun, has arrived from Honolulu and proposes to speak throughout the country in behalf of her chosen faith. She represents the Maha Bodhi Society, which aims to promulgate the true teachings of Buddha. Sister Sanghamitta was formerly the Countess de Canavarro, wife of the one time minister from Portugal to the Hawaiian islands. She was born in Texas and entered the order in New York, in 1897.

WARM WIRELETS.

The population of Tennessee is 2,020,616, as against 1,767,518 in 1890. This is an increase of 253,091, or 14.3 per cent.

The Vermont Legislature adjourned yesterday. Among the measures passed was one prohibiting the sale of cigarettes in the State.

Emperor Nicholas, according to a dispatch to the London *Times* from St. Petersburg, is now considered on the way to speedy recovery.

Organization of the citizens' committee of fifteen for the suppression of vice in New York City will not be completed before Friday or Saturday.

A New York dispatch says that the sales of Standard Oil shares in the open market yesterday aggregated 157 shares at $750, a new high record for the stock.

The London *Express* publishes a rumor that a gigantic gold mine trust has been formed, including Messrs. John D. Rockefeller, Cecil Rhodes, Alfred Beit and Joseph Benjamin Robinson.

Rear Admiral Frederick G. McNair died at his residence in Washington yesterday from a stroke of apoplexy. He was the ranking admiral of the navy, and the officer next in line to Admiral Dewey.

A dispatch from Aniche, near Douai, France, says a quantity of dynamite at the bottom of one of the coal mines there exploded from an unknown cause. Sixteen miners are dead and thirty or forty wounded.

According to current political gossip, the proposed State constabulary bill, designed to place the police of New York city under State control, has been abandoned by the leaders of the Republican party.

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FRANCE'S REPLY TO KRUGER.

Will Not Take Initiative in Intervention in South Africa But May Join in Such a Movement

By Cable to the Morning Star

PARIS, November 28.—The conversation which former President Kruger had with the French minister of foreign affairs, M. Del Casse, yesterday was confined to the former sounding the latter as to the probable attitude of France in certain eventualities. Mr. Kruger did not press for a definite statement, and the conversation lacked preciseness. M. Del Casse let it be understood that France had not changed her attitude since he explained the government's position in the Chamber of Deputies last March. France will not take the initiative in intervention in South Africa, but will not discourage any other country from so doing. On the contrary, she will join in such initiative if it is taken under such conditions as appear to her to merit acquiescence.

Mr. Kruger did not formulate any opposition and did not intimate what he intended to do, but it is believed he will take the first official diplomatic step at The Hague. It is not known whether he will ask Holland to propose mediation or open other and less clearly defined negotiations.

The general council of the Seine today unanimously adopted a resolution that the French government should take the initiative in the endeavor to bring about arbitration of the issues between Great Britain and the Boers.

WILMINGTON LEADS IN POPULATION.

She Still Holds Her Place as "Metropolis of the State."

A Washington special to the Charlotte *Observer* of yesterday says:

"Much disappointment was experienced when the census returns from North Carolina were made public today, in that they did not give the population by cities separately, but incorporated the population of the cites in the county in which they were located. It was explained that the population by cities will be given later in a comprehensive bulletin, which will be issued in a month or sooner.

No city in North Carolina, it is officially announced, has a population of 25,000. Wilmington stands first and its a close race between Charlotte and Raleigh for second place.



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For Rent—Second Floor in building No. 401, northwest corner Front and Walnut streets. Also, Second Floor in building No. 403, next to the northwest corner of Front and Walnut streets. Each floor contains five rooms, kitchen and bath. For terms apply to B. H. J. Ahrens. nov 25 tf

Fruit Trees, raised in Rock Hill Nursery, Duplin county, and acclimated to Eastern N. C. Will deliver in Wilmington, Apples and Peaches at $1.50 per dozen. Figs, 15c; Grapes, 20c each. E. D. Pearsall, Rocky Point, N. C. Nov. 23rd, 1900. nov 24 5t

Wanted, Manager—Old established mercantile house wants honest, capable man to manage branch. Salary $125 month, extra commissions. No soliciting required, but must take general direction business and be ambitious. Good references and $800 cash required. Experience as manager not necessary if qualified in other respects. Opportunity, Drawer 74, New Haven, Conn. nov 15 1m*

5,000,000 choice cabbage plants and 1,000 barrels smooth Irish Potatoes for sale cheap by W. P. Bangham, Proprietor Cottage Grove and Honey Pod Truck Farm, Washington, N. C. Rush orders along. nov 18 2m

Photographs—Mantella Cabinets, $1.50 per dozen; Oval Cards, $1.00 per dozen. For a limited time only. Respectfully, J. Monroe Culbreth, 116 Market street, opposite Yates' book store. oct 30 tf

Piano and Organ Tuning and Repairing by people who know their business. The price may be a trifle more, but we guarantee satisfaction. Thirty-five years' experience in the business. Ludden & Bates', S. M. H., 109 Market street; Bell 'Phone 599. oct 27 tf

Land for sale—We have desirable tracts of land for sale in counties of Robeson, Bladen, Pender, Columbus, N. C., and Horry and Marion, S. C. The Worth Co. oct 25 tf

For Sale—Buggies and Harness. Repairing of all kinds done. Call and examine goods. P. H. Hayden. au 31 tf

Choice Timothy Hay, Clover Hay, Straw, fresh ground Meal, Pearl Hominy, Flour, Grain and everything in the Feed line for horses, cows and chickens. John S. McEachern, 211 Market street. Telephones No. 92. jy 8 tf

Apples, Peaches and Honey—I am receiving daily Apples, Peaches, Butter, Chickens, Eggs, Bananas, Lemons, Oranges, etc. Also, a nice lot of Block Honey now on hand. Persons wishing to buy or ship anything of the kind will do well to see or write me. A. S. Winstead, Commission Merchant, 113 and 115 North Second street, Wilmington, N. C. jy 1 tf

Old Newspapers for sale by the hundred at the STAR Office. Excellent for underlaying carpets, or for wrapping paper. oct 8 tf

TORNADO INSURANCE.

NOW IS THE TIME TO GET:

TORNADO INSURANCE,

BY APPLYING TO

FRANK H. STEDMAN

INSURANCE AGENT.

sep 19 tf

Just to Remind You.

Christmas is less than five weeks off,

to say nothing of intervening holidays. Whether one's list of gifts for the holidays be long or short, time and consideration are needed for proper selection. Our patrons are reminded of the near approach of Christmas and of the facilities NOW OFFERED for the deliberate examination of our stock.

It is a pleasure to choose from a stock like ours,

because it contains everything that is new and unique in Dinner Sets, Tea Sets, Toilet Sets, Salad Sets, Lamps, Jardiniers, Fern Dishes, Vases, etc, to say nothing of our very pretty pieces in Libbey's Cut Glass.

Will you let us Fill that order?

O. P. Cazaux & Co.

nov 25 tf

"Surprising Reductions In Prices on Everything"

is what the people say when they come in and look over our Extensive Departments. when compared to what they have been paying elsewhere for same goods. And people

are finding out that we do what we say.

See, Ladies' Hat Window, what prices!
See our Dress Goods!
See our long lists of Notions, Men's Wear, Books and Stationery.
Sewing Machines, high grade, at $17.50, worth $35.00.
Bicycles, Ladies' and Men's, $14.75 to $23.75, worth double the money.
It is extremely interesting to look through our large stock of Toys, Bric-a-Brac, Crockery, Glassware, &c., and note our prices on all.

Our Douglass and Duttenhofer Shoes are still the "Town Talk" and are rushing.
We extend Thanksgiving Greetings to everybody, with a cordial invitation to visit our stores. Respectfully,

MERCER & EVANS COMPANY,

63½ Steps East from Corner Front.

nov 25 tf

TRADE AND TRAFFIC.

THAT'S OUR BUSINESS.

We have Ground Pepper, Castor Oil, Lemon, Vanilla, Cinnamon, Nutmegs, Spices, Salts, Seal Skin Smoking Tobacco, Fancy and Cheap Plug Tobacco and Snuff, Cakes, Candies, Oranges, Apples, Fish, Meat, Flour, Sugar, Coffee, Rice, Molasses and other Groceries for sale.

WE DON'T ASK FOR THE CASH.

Just send us your Cotton, Spirits, Rosin, Tar, Eggs, Chickens, Turkeys, Cattle, Timber, Potatoes, Peas, Pork, and all Country Produce. We have time to sell it and we keep up with markets, get your goods cheap and sell your Produce for best prices.

T. D. LOVE,

114 North Water street.

Steamers for Fayetteville, N. C. Freight and passengers. Monday and Thursday. leave 2 o'clock P. M. T. D. LOVE, General Manager.

nov 28 tf

For Thanksgiving

Grape Fruit, Pineapples, Pears, Oranges, Apples, Bananas, Figs, Dates.

All kinds Nuts and Candies.

☞ Send me your orders early.

J. W. Plummer, Jr.

nov 28 tf

SEASONABLE GOODS.

MULLETS, new catch.
Best Cream Cheese,
Martin's Gilt Edge Butter,
Bagging and Ties.
SALT.

A GENERAL LINE OF CASE GOODS IN DEMAND AT THIS SEASON.

Sole agents for

ROB ROY FLOUR.

McNAIR & PEARSALL.

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Maxton Building and Loan Association,

MAXTON N. C.

DIRECTORS:

J. D. CROOM, MAXTON.
ED. MCRAE, MAXTON.
A. J. MCKINNON, MAXTON.
G. B. PATTERSON, MAXTON
R. W. LIVERMORE, PATES.
W. H. BERNARD, WILMINGTON.
M. G. MCKENZIE, MAXTON.

Initiation fee, 25 cents per share.
Subscriptions to stock payable in weekly instalments of 25 cents per share.
The management is prudent and economical, as is shown by the fact that the Association has sustained no losses, and its annual expenses, including taxes, are only about Two Hundred Dollars. J. D. CROOM, President.
W. B HARKER Secretary. je 10 tf

Potatoes, Potatoes.

25 Bushels Nice Yam Potatoes.

—also—

100,000 War Eagle and Old Glory Cheroots.
Car Hoop Iron.
Car Wire Nails and Car Cut Nails. All sizes.
Nice line Xmas Candies.
Firecrackers, Raisins, C. C. Nuts, Nice Baldwin Apples.

GET OUR PRICES.

D. L. GORE COMPANY,

WHOLESALE GROCERS,

nov 23 tf Wilmington, N. C

We Can Show You a [illegible] Line of

English, Scotch and French Suitings

FROM WHICH YOU CAN SELECT YOUR THANKSGIVING SUIT. AND YOU SHOULD BEAR IN MIND WHEN YOU BUY A SUIT OF US, YOU GET THE BEST OF TRIMMINGS AND WORKMANSHIP, AS WELL AS GOODS. HOW 'BOUT UNDERWEAR. WE HAVE IT IN ALL STYLES AND SHADES, AND CAN GIVE YOU A BARGAIN.

Have you ever tried a "Manhattan" Full Dress Shirt?

IF NOT, DO SO AND YOU WILL NEVER WEAR ANYTHING ELSE. OUR LINE OF HALF HOSE, UNDERWEAR, ETC., IS SWELL.

M. H. CURRAN, 107 Princess St.

nov 18 tf

>WATCH OUR PRICES.<

Canned Corn, Shrewsbury Brand, sweet, tender, per can 15 cts. Trumpet Brand, none better for the money, per can 10 cts.

Extra Fancy Sifted Peas, a fine, delicious Pea. The taste and appearance is so like the choice fresh Pea you probably could not tell the difference if you made a side-by-side comparison. Price 15 cts. can.

Condensed Soups, prepared in a minute, very popular, assorted any way you wish. Price per can 10 cts.

THE KING GROCERY CO.,

Fourth Street Bridge. Both 'Phones 387. J. T. SHOLAR, Manager.

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THIS CUT

Is how one of our Celebrated

WATER PROOF SHOES

Would look if cut in half.
A strip of thick Rubber between the inner and outer soles, oiled muslin between the vamps and linings.

Best White Oak Soles, Genuine Calf Skin Uppers and Hand-Sewed.

Lace or Elastic, Plain or Cap Toes, $3.00. | Solomon's Shoe Store.

nov 25 tf

An economical Buyer of shoes



Is the woman who recognizes the fact that it is true economy to purchase nothing but the highest grade Shoes for her own wear, as well as for her children.
We will fit Mamma and the Misses, as well as the Boys and Girls, with elegant, durable and comfortable Shoes at prices that no one can touch, when quality is considered.
Our Boys' famous

Armored Cruiser Shoe at $2.00

is sure to please and give entire satisfaction.

GEO. R. FRENCH & SONS.

nov 4 tf

The Big Racket >Store<

Has New Goods to come in by every train and every boat.

I have just received and will have marked up Monday morning a lot of fine Plaids, 32 inches wide, wool mixed, at 14c, worth 25c

A lot of Camel Hair Plaids, wool, sold at 50c, special job, now at 29c.

Indigo Blue Calico at 4½c.

A beautiful all wool Plaid, 38 inches wide, sold at 50c close, price now 33c.

A new lot of fine Crepon worth $1.50, now 85c; worth $2.00, now $1.15.

All wool Silk Luster Crepon at 55c.

Wool and Mohair Crepon sold at 75c, now 50c per yard

I have a big lot of

Fine Dress Goods and Linings.

My Lining stock is the best and largest in the city.

I have fine Silicia at 8c, cheap at 10.

Spun Glass Lining, as pretty as silk and by far better, 36 inches wide, at 20c.

I have nice Silks as low as 12½c per yard.

Cambrics at 4½c.

A job in Remnant Canvas as low as 5c.

Crown Canvas at 10c.

Linen Canvas at 15c.

I have a part of my store—90 feet long shelves 8 feet high—filled full with fine wool good Dress Goods.

You can come as near getting what you want in the Dress Goods line here as anywhere in the State.

I have a special lot of fine Buttons, Trimmings and Bindings of all grades.

In fine or cheap Dress Goods

I would thank you to look at my stock

before buying elsewhere. My stock is much larger and my prices much lower.

Cloaks, Furs and Capes for everybody.

A nice Cloth Cape as low as 25c, fur trimmed; a better Cape, all wool, silk trimmed, at 50c.

A nice Black Cloth Cape, trimmed in pearl buttons and fur with a double collar, at $1.25.

Beaver Cloth Capes trimmed in braid and fur at $2.00 and up to $5 00.

A new line of Ladies' Jackets just received from $4 00 up to $9.00

A special drive in Cloth Jackets lined with Nearsilk as low as $1.75.

Ladies' Breakfast Shawls 10c each.

A lot of all wool very fine Shawls at $2.00.

A lot of new Furs just received to day.

Small Cape Collarettes, silk-lined, at $1.50.

Nice Fur Collarette as low as $1.25 and up to $5.00 each.

Fur Capes with the tails and heads at $5.00 each.

Plush Capes from $1.50 to $5.00.

Just received five pieces Serge silk Lining in different shades, worth 25c per yard; my price 15c.

We have a

Special job in Children's Under-Wrappers.

They are worth from 50 to 75c. My price on them is from 29c to 38c each. They are made of silk and wool.

A job in Boys' Underwear. Good, heavy cotton goods worth 50c, for 29c.

Boys' Fleece Lined Underwear at 25c each garment.

Children's Heavy Cotton Underwear in good quality as low as 10c a garment.

Men's heavy Fleeced Under Shirts and Pants, regular 50c goods, at 42c each.

Dr. Jargers' all wool Fleece Lined Non-shrinkable Under Vests at $1.00 each.

Ladies' Wool Non-shrinkable Vests and Pants at 50c.

Remember our Millinery Department.

In this line our sales are 50 per cent better than they were last year.

Our trimmers give universal satisfaction. We exchange all Hats that do not please or give the money back.

We have just received 37 dozen Sample Hats, all new nice goods, which we sell at from 15c up to 50c.

We trim all Hats free for all our customers that buy Hats and Material from us.

OUR CHRISTMAS GOODS have come in, and in this line we have most everything. We have Tricycles, Velocipedes, Go carts, Wagons, Carriages, Chairs, Dolls and everything in this line. Also, a full line of Fancy Chinaware.

We are still giving away Presents in Chairs, Tables, Desks, Lounges, Crockery and Glassware. We sell goods at the lowest prices and give you a present free. Come to

THE BIG RACKET STORE,

GEO. O. GAYLORD,

PROPRIETOR.

208-210 North Front Street, Wilmington, N. C.

nov 25 tf

White Shirt and Rug Sale,

One Week, Beginning Monday, November 26th, to Saturday, December 1st.

A fine chance to put in a supply of Shirts.

Bargain No. 1.—Men and Boys Unlaundered, good quality of Shirting, re-inforced front and back, well made, patent neck band, best fit, all sizes, each 35c or $2.00 per half dozen. This is a regular 50c Shirt.

Bargain No 2.—Same style as bargain No. 1, but finer quality of Shirting, all linen bosom, each 45c, or $2.50 per half dozen. This Shirt is sold elsewhere at 65c and 75c.

Bargain No. 3.—Very best grade, heavy linen bosom with all the latest improvements. This Shirt is our regular $1.00 grade, each 69c or $3.75 for half dozen.

Bargain No. 4.—White Laundered Shirts. Our regular 65c Shirt this week 45c or $2.50 per half dozen. Sold elsewhere for 75c

Bargain No. 5.—Our 75c grade this week 55c each or $3.00 for half dozen.

Bargain No. 6—Our $1.00 grade this week 69c each or $4.00 for half dozen.

Bargain No. 7.—Our $1.25 grade this week 79c each or $4.50 for half dozen.

Great Sale of Rugs.

Bargain No. 8.—Our 65c Brussel Rug, with Fringe, this week only 59c.

Bargain No 9.—Our $1.25 Tapestry Fringed Rug, 1½ yards long, this week only 97c.

Bargain No. 10.—Our $1.00 Grass Rug, with Fringe, 32x63 inches, this week only 85c.

Bargain No. 11.—18x42 Grass Rug, with Fringe, this week only 48c.

Bargain No 12.—$3.50 Moquet Rugs, beautiful patterns, this week only $2.95.

Bargain No. 13.—$5 00 extra large Moquet Rug this week only $3 69.

Bargain No. 14.—$2.00 Velvet and Moquet Rugs, Fringed, this week only [illegible]

Bargains in Carpets.

All Wool Ingrain Carpet at 50c per yard.

New lot of Mattings.

Bargains in Lace Curtains and Window Shades.

Jute Crumb Cloths 6 feet by 7 feet 6 in sale price $1.29.

Full line of better Crumb Cloths.

Chenille and Tapestry Curtains $1.98 and upwards.

Yours, for Bargains,

J. H. REHDER & CO.

nov 25 tf 'Phones 118 & 218 Fourth Street Bridge.